Today's Weather. Cloudy.

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## THE WEATHER

Cloudy conditions today, followed by fair weather tomorrow, is the prediction of the observer at Washington for Pittsburgh and the vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 44 and the minimum 33 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:19 and set cloudy at 4:55 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Cloudy.

| Time. | Baro. | Tem. | Hum. | Wind. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 a. m.... | 30.60 | 34 | 64 | N.W. | Snow. |
| 8 p. m.... | 30.17 | 41 | 50 | N.W. | Cloudy. |

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 25:

| | 1904 | 1903 | | 1904 | 1903 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Maximum ... | 44 | 30 | Mean ..... | 38 | 27 |
| Minimum ... | 33 | 24 | Precipitation . | T. | T. |

Nor. temp. 31 yrs.. 38 Nor. precip. 31 yrs.. .09
Exc. since Nov. 1.. 40 Dfcy. since Nov. 1.. 1.83
Dfcy. since Jan. 1 48 Dfcy. since Jan. 1..2.04

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, November 25.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy Saturday; snow flurries near Lake Erie; Sunday, fair, fresh northwest to north winds.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Ohio—Fair Saturday, except snow urries in the northeast portion; fresh northwest to north winds. Sunday, fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis .. | 50 Clear | Cincinnati .. | 44 Cloudy |
| Cairo ..... | 46 Clear | Indianapolis . | 46 Cloudy |
| Omaha .... | 34 Clear | Kansas City . | 38 Cloudy |
| El Paso.... | 58 Clear | Chicago ..... | 36 Pt.Cldy |
| St. Paul... | 30 Pt.Cldy | Nashville .. | 48 Clear |
| Duluth .... | 26 Cloudy | Louisville .. | 44 Clear |
| Huron ..... | 28 Clear | Vicksburg ... | 58 Cloudy |
| Helena .... | 34 Cloudy | St. Louis .. | 42 Clear |
| Salt Lake.. | 44 Clear | Philadelphia . | 46 Cloudy |
| Denver .... | 42 Clear | New York... | 54 Pt.Cldy |
| Cleveland .. | 34 Cloudy | Washington . | 40 Pt.Cldy |
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# P. R. R. ORDERS 5,000 NEW CARS

### Lines West to Increase Freight Equipment Greatly.

### SECOND CONTRACT

### Added to Replacement Order Given a Few Weeks Ago, It Brings Total to 11,800.

### VALUE IS ABOUT $10,000,000

The addition of 5,000 freight cars to the equipment of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh, was provided for in a contract which the Pennsylvania Company made public yesterday. A good part of these cars will be built by the Standard Steel Car Company of this city. The remainder will be built by the Cambria Steel Company, owned by the Pennsylvania, and the American Car and Foundry Company.

The order given yesterday makes a total of 11,800 cars ordered by the Pennsylvania for the coming year. The value of these cars will be approximately $10,000,000, even allowing for the lower price which cars are bringing now as compared with a year ago.

The great distinction between the order given yesterday and the one announced a few weeks ago, is that the cars last ordered are for additional equipment, while the others are to replace worn out and damaged cars. In other words, with all old cars replaced, the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh will have this next year 5,000 more cars than at any other time in their history and will be, therefore, the better equipped to handle the increasing business on the system.

Standard's Share Fair.

Just what proportion of this order for 5,000 cars was given to the Standard company is not known definitely as yet. It is practically certain that it is a fair proportion of the total, as the Pennsylvania has used the Standard company's designs in the last year and was well enough pleased to include the Standard in its order to replace other styles of equipment.

The Pressed Steel Car Company received part of the order for replacement, but in the present order for new cars it is not mentioned.

Other recent orders for cars and engines include: Grand Trunk, 1,000 box cars; New Jersey Central, 1,000 hopper gondola cars; Rock Island, 300 automatic dump cars; Burlington, 200 automatic dump cars; Wisconsin Central, 700 box cars; Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, 40 locomotives; Lackawanna, 32 locomotives; Boston & Maine, 28 locomotives. It is rumored the Reading is about to order 1,000 freight cars.

Not for three years has the outlook for the companies manufacturing railroad equipment been as bright as it is at this time. The very fact that the railroad companies failed to order more equipment last year than that urgently needed and made no provision whatever for the growth of business makes the needs now larger than would otherwise have been the case. They must, in other words, give nearly two years of orders in the one year.

Spend $45,000,000 for Cars.

It was estimated recently by one in touch with the car situation that about $45,000,000 will be spent by American railroads in their car orders alone this year. This means more to Pittsburgh than to any other section, as the growth of the steel car for various uses has been rapid and it has won its way into permanent favor.

Each steel car calls for about 10 tons of plates, shapes, etc. The steel tonnage for this demand alone should be close to 500,000 and the car orders will have much to do with the operation of the steel mills throughout the year.

The locomotive orders of most of the railroads are not yet announced, but they may be given at any time now and Pittsburgh, through the Pittsburgh works of the American Locomotive Company, will receive its share of these. It is known that the Pennsylvania plans to order a large number of new enghes and the Baltimore & Ohio is also figuring on additional motive power. The Wabash-Pittsburgh terminal needs more power and some orders from that source may be given any day.

## ARRESTED AT CEMETERY.

### Father and Son Are Charged With Murder as They Leave Newly-Made Grave of Victim.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., Nov. 25.—George W. Gay, and his son, Lester Gay, were arrested at the entrance to the cemetery near Agency, Mo., this afternoon on the charge of murdering Mrs. George Gay, wife of the elder Gay and mother of Lester.

The woman's throat was cut last Wednesday, and the father and son claimed to have found her dead when they came in from the field for dinner. Mrs. Gay had just been interred today when the sheriff from St. Joseph made the arrests.

## NEARLY DIED BEFORE HE COULD BE HANGED

BATESVILLE, ARK., Nov. 25.—Ribert Causby was hanged today for the murder of Sheriff D. Morgan, which occurred September 15, 1904, in this city. The attending physicians thought it was not possible to get Causby to the place of execution with enough life in his body to extinguish with the noose, as he was a complete wreck from nervous prostration.

## "OOM PAUL'S" DAUGHTER COMES TO AMERICA

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The Pacific mail liner Korea, which arrived today from the orient, brought among her passengers Maj. T. Wheelan and his wife, a daughter of the late President Paul Kruger of the Transvaal.

Where We Certainly Need Your Help, Uncle Sammy.

## FANATIC DIES AFTER FASTING FORTY DAYS

### Says He Was Obeying a Divine Command Which Would Make Him More Useful.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—Death from having been under the impression that he was obeying a divine command was the fate of Rev. D. C. Buckles, of Addystone, a suburb of Cincinnati. He was found dead today in his bed, after fasting 40 days.

Buckles had been for years a local Methodist preacher. His license was not renewed last year, and he became an adherent of a religious body outside the regular denominations. To his former pastor who pleaded with him, he said he was acting under direct command from God, and he would as a result, be much more useful.

Buckles' sister has also been fasting. She declared today that her brother was not dead, but sleeping.

## BIG RED AUTO KNOCKED OUT RUN ON A BANK

### It Carried $75,000 in Crisp, New Bills, to the Rescue of Hard-Pressed Institution.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 25.—A big, red automobile, loaded to the gunwales with money, bumped into a run on a bank this afternoon, and knocked it out.

The run was started early this morning at the Willoughby branch of the Wade Park bank. It was caused, it is said, by rumors of the institution's connection with suits against Mrs. C. L. Chadwick, wife of Dr. L. S. Chadwick, by a Brookline, Mass., man. Cleveland bankers, including Gov. Herrick, came to the rescue.

At 2 o'clock the automobile, carrying $75,000, arrived at the bank. The money, in crisp, new bills, was piled high on the counters. It broke the backbone of the run, and all the waiting depositors left without demanding their money. Some returned later and deposited their cash again.

## MAY BUY WHOLE TOWN.

### John D. Rockefeller Purchases Six Dwellings in Hamlet Adjoining His Private Park.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Because John D. Rockefeller has just purchased six houses and lots in Griggsville, a little hamlet north of North Tarrytown, for $10,000, there was a report today that Mr. Rockefeller intends to buy the whole hamlet, so that he can add it to his private park of 5,000 acres at Pocantico Hills.

Griggsville has a population of about 500, and there are 75 cottages there that he will have to buy to wipe it out. Many of the property owners have now increased the price of their land three fold.

## CONVENTION IS SIGNED.

### British and Russian Foreign Ministers Set Their Seals to the North Sea Inquiry Pact.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.—The North sea convention was signed at the foreign office this afternoon by Foreign Minister Lamsdorff and Ambassador Hardinge.

The convention contains eight articles, embodying an amendment required by Russia to article two, providing that the commission shall determine the degree of blame by the addition of the words "subjects of either power or other state."

The convention designates the emperor of Austria to appoint a fifth commissioner, in case the four naval officers disagree.

## PARAGUAYAN FORTS FIRED UPON ARGENTINA SHIP

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 25.—An Argentina torpedo boat received four cannon shots fired from Paraguay forts at San Antonio. The Argentina minister demanded satisfactory explanations, which were given. Instructions were wired to the commanders of Argentina warships to adopt stern measures, and to the Argentina minister to withdraw in the event of another such occurrence.

### Ocean Rate War Settled.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 25.—The dispute over passenger rates was virtually settled at a conference of representatives of the Cunard, White Star and other steamship lines today. Circulars announcing a general advance in rates for passengers westward bound probably will be issued forthwith.

# LIBERALS TALK TO THE CZAR

### Indication He May Grant Constitution His Grandfather Planned.

### HEARS ZEMSTVOISTS

### Invited Them to Palace on Reading Memorial—Causes a Great Sensation.

### REACTIONARIES ARE REBUKED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

St. PETERSBURG, Nov. 26.—2:50 a. m.—Emperor Nicholas may turn back upon the reactionaries and crown his reign by granting to his subjects the constitution which his grandfather had already prepared when he fell by the hand of an assassin.

The basis of such a possibility is the significant fact that late this afternoon the emperor received in the palace at Tsarskoe-Selo, M. Shipoff of Moscow; M. Petrunkeivitch of Tever; M. Rodzianko of Ekaterinoslav, and Count Heiden, four prominent members of the zemstvos organization and listened at length to their views. It develops that when Minister of the Interior Sviatopolk-Mirsky presented the zemstvos memorial and resolution on November 24, the emperor was so deeply impressed as well by the contents of the documents as by the character of the signers that he immediately expressed the desire to personally receive a deputation of four.

The zemstvos therefore went to Tsarskoe-Selo by imperial command. At their audience it is understood, they explained fully their position and reiterated the views expressed by the memorial that the salvation of the empire from ruin by revolution lay in the adoption of the general ideas expressed in the memorial. The emperor was greatly impressed by what he heard, and asked many questions. While it is understood that he gave no indication of his purposes except the sympathy he displayed, the deputation when they returned to St. Petersburg were in high spirts. Naturally they declined to say anything for publication regarding the visit.

The news that the delegation had been given an audience by the emperor spread like wildfire through the city tonight, and created a tremendous sensation, rejoicing among liberals and amazement among the uncompromising supporters of the old regime. Earlier in the day the report was current that an immediate effect of the zemstvos meeting would likely be the realization of the plan for giving two elected zemstvos representatives seats in the council of the empire.

One of the prominent Liberals who participated in the congress declined tonight to share in the jubilation of some of his colleagues and expressed the opinion that victory was yet a long way off, although he said he believed it was sure to come in the end. He pointed out that the declaration in the memorial in favor of the abrogation of special privileges and for the equality of all classes before the law, when it became known throughout Russia, was bound to appeal strongly to the peasantry.

"All the members of the congress," said he, "are large landed proprietors. A leveling process which would put the Bujik on an equality with them must be prejudicial to their personal interests. In no other country in the world except Russia would you find men anxious to make sacrifices for an altruistic ideal. The same thing, however, happened with the emancipation of the Serfs in the time of Alexander II., when many nobles advocated the measure although it meant practically ruin for them personally."

### Heinrich Ibsen Very Ill.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Heinrich Ibsen the author, according to a dispatch from Stockholm to the Chronicle, has had several attacks of heart trouble. His condition is dangerous and there is little hope of his recovery, although he was somewhat better on Thursday.

### Brewery Workers Are Defeated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—The difference between the Brewery Workers' union and the International Brotherhood of Engineers, Firemen and Teamsters was settled by the American Federation of Labor today against the Brewery Workers.

## WEALTHY MAN'S WIFE CHARGED WITH MURDER

### She Is Alleged to Have Poisoned Four Women, One of Whom Died.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

OWINGSVILLE, KY., Nov. 25.—A sensation was created throughout the entire mountain counties today by the arrest in Menifee county of Mrs. Julia McGraw, wife of a wealthy farmer, on charges of poisoning Mrs. Martha Yocum, aged 65, and Mary, Emma and Clara Botts, young women, causing the death of Mrs. Yocum and serious illness of the others.

While being taken to a cell in Frenchburg Mrs. McGraw placed a small bottle to her lips and swallowed the contents before she could be prevented. Physicians finally saved her life. The bottle contained digitalis.

Mrs. McGraw says she is determined to commit suicide, and is being closely guarded. Mrs. McGraw had prepared a big pot of coffee at the Botts home, of which Mrs. Yocum and the three Botts women drank. All became ill and after horrible suffering Mrs. Yocum died. One of the Botts women is still suffering from the effects of the poison. When analyzed the contents of the coffee pot was found to contain sufficient arsenic to kill 50 persons. Jealousy is believed to have prompted the poisoning.

## SUPPLIES FOR RUSSIANS REACHING VLADIVOSTOK

### About 20 Vessels Have Arrived Recently—Japanese and German Ships Sunk by Mine.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

NAGASAKI, Nov. 26.—10 a. m.—A foreigner who left Vladivostok last Monday says that during the past month 20 steamers have arrived at Vladivostok, bringing coal and sundries.

He also confirms previous reports that the Russian protected cruiser Bogatyr, though not docked, is unserviceable, and is supported forward by pontoons. The armored cruiser Gromoboi has, he says, 25 frames broken and is badly strained. Repairs on her will require some months.

A submarine boat which was brought from St. Petersburg has completed several trials safely.

The location of the harbor defense mines is uncertain and a Japanese torpedo boat No. 208 has been sunk and a German steamer has been damaged by coming in contact with mines.

## GEN. KUROKI'S CORPSE IS BROUGHT TO YINKOW

### So Chinese Report to Russian Headquarters at Mukden—No New Offensive Japanese Army.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—The Lokal Anzeiger's Mukden correspondent telegraphs as follows:

"According to a report brought by Chinese to Russian headquarters, the corpse of Gen. Kuroki has arrived at Yinkow.

"The concentration of strong Japanese forces at Saimatszo, northwest of Feng-Wang-Cheng, which at first was thought to indicate the formation of a new offensive army, now appears to have been intended only for covering the Feng-Wang-Cheng communication."

## HUNGER FELT IN IRELAND.

### Great Suffering Owing to Failure of Potato Crop—Appeal by Galway County Council.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The failure of the potato crop is causing great distress and suffering among the peasantry of Connemara. The Galway county council today adopted resolutions urging the government, in view of the pressing need, to afford assistance by providing relief works, especially in the congested districts, and by supplying cheap potatoes for the coming season. The council suggested, among other things, the development of mineral resources.

Reports from various districts of Ireland state that the pinch of hunger is already severely felt, especially on the Mayo seaboard.

### Committed Suicide to Get Life Insurance

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Having no money to pay the premium on her life insurance policy which falls due tomorrow, and to save her family from starving by securing them the benefit of the policy before it lapsed, Mrs. Ada Keller, of No. 204 Ralph street, Williamsburg, today turned on the gas in her bedroom. Her husband found her dead.

# BIG BOOM IN STEEL SHARES

### Half Million Changed Hands on Advancing Scale of Prices.

### BONDS ALSO ACTIVE

### Trading Equaled One-Third of Entire Wall Street Stock Transactions.

### SETTLEMENT IN RAIL POOL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Nov. 25.

Trading in United States Steel Corporation shares and bonds today was carried on in enormous volume. The different issues sold at the highest price since the boom following the formation of the company in 1901. The preferred stock sold as high as 94¼, the common at 29⅛, and the 5 per cent bonds at 95¼. Nearly 500,000 shares of the preferred and common stocks changed hands during the day and millions of the bonds were absorbed on an advancing scale of prices. Wall street called the market a "Steel Corporation market," for the business done in the steel issues today has equalled one-third of the entire transactions on the stock exchange.

One of the reasons for the outbreak in the activity and strength of the steel stocks was the settlement of a serious break in the relations of the Steel Rail association with the Lackawanna Steel Company, an independent company. After each interest had endeavored to bridge the difficulty, which threatened the disruption of the steel rail pool and other associations, it was mutually agreed to leave the dispute for adjudication in the hands of an arbitrator, named by both companies. It was stated today that the umpire handed down his decision practically favoring the United States Steel Corporation and the other members of the steel rail pool.

Tonnage Question Settled.

The question at issue between the Lackawanna Steel Company and the other makers of rails was in relation to the tonnage to which the Lackawanna Steel Company believed itself entitled. The Lackawanna demanded 17½ per cent of the entire tonnage of the country. The other manufacturers after conferences to effect compromise finally agreed to allot a tonnage of 15 per cent to the Lackawanna Steel Company. The latter stood firm in its demand, pointing out that its rail mill capacity was practically 600,000 tons a year, or about 20 per cent of the country's output, and that the management had gone to the extreme limit in lowering their tonnage demands to 17½ per cent.

It was at this stage that arbitration was suggested and both sides were agreeable. It was semi-officially announced today that the umpire had finished his work, and that the Lackawanna Steel Company will receive a tonnage equal to 15 per cent of the total rails to be consumed in the coming year. The decision is acceptable to all.

As a result of this decision and the settlement of the trade difficulty the Lackawanna Steel Company will become a member of the Steel Rail association and will agree to maintain prices and abide by the rules. It is expected that the other associations in plates, beams and other finished steel forms will subsequently enroll the Lackawanna Steel Company as a member.

Due to Trade Conditions.

While the settlement of this difference with an important rival was given in inside quarters as the reason for the remarkable activity of the Steel Corporation issues the street generally regarded the advances as due to the better conditions in the steel trade. It was stated by a member of the finance committee today that orders are now being booked by the corporation at the rate of 50,000 or more tons a day, a total which equals the boom orders of a few years ago.

The evidences of the demand are more clearly seen, this director pointed out, in the congested condition of the freight yards in the Pittsburgh district. Not only in the main centers, but also in the coke districts is there congestion, and complaints are being made because of the inability of the railroads to get the business out of the way and moving to its destination.

The railroads, now that they are able to sell securities, are going into the market for cars and other equipment. The car construction companies are booking business such as they did not expect this year.

While the business is greatly improved, there is a disposition on the part of conservative Wall street to regard the remarkable advances in the steel securities as due mainly to the working of a powerful pool in the stock which has taken advantage of the improved trade conditions to advance the stock.

Orders for large blocks were placed in the market in the two issues, the common and preferred. There was one sale reported of 17,000 shares of the common at 29. At that figure there appeared to be a practically unlimited quantity of stock for sale, but the market absorbed all the offerings and closed ⅛ higher at 29⅛. Blocks of 5,000 and 6,000 of the preferred were very frequent, and one sale of 8,800 and another of 7,000 were equally noticeable. The broker who bought 8,600 shares was instrumental in buying in one block securities having a value of $818,400. This sale elicited little comment in the excited condition of the market.

## PEACE TREATY SIGNED BY PERU AND BRAZIL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—News has reached here of the signing of a treaty between Peru and Brazil, looking to the peaceful settlement of the boundary disputes between the two nations and the adjustment of claims arising out of the boundary line disputes.

# PRESIDENT HAD TO TAKE COON

### It Was Hoisted on His Car as Tribute from a Democrat.

### ON TO WORLD'S FAIR

### Special Arrangements Have Been Made to Guard Mr. Roosevelt in St. Louis.

### HIS GREETINGS BY THE WAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 25.—After traversing Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana, President Roosevelt is speeding across Illinois tonight, en route to St. Louis, where for two days he and his party will be guests of the officials of the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

The feature of the journey from Washington to Indianapolis was the enthusiasm with which the president everywhere was received. Since daylight today every station through which the special train passed was thronged with people anxious to catch a glimpse of the president. Stops were made only at division terminals, and at some of them hundreds of people had assembled to greet Mr. Roosevelt.

The president thoroughly enjoyed the rest he has had today. He has spent the time chiefly in reading, and in chatting with Mrs. Roosevelt and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson. At nearly every station where the train slowed down the president appeared on the rear platform and bowed his acknowledgment to the people.

At Steubenville, O., the station platform was banked with men, women and children, scores of whom waved American flags in extending their greeting to the president.

Had to Take the Coon.

A live coon was presented to the president at Denison, where the special stopped for a few minutes. After the president had greeted the people, addressing them practically as he had spoken at Pittsburgh, and as the train was pulling out of the station, a man swung the coon over the railing of the car platform and shouted:

"Take him, he will bring you good luck."

When the president laughed and shook his head deprecatingly, the man again shouted:

"You must take him. I'm a life-long Democrat, and I wish you good luck."

Attached to the chain around the little animal's neck was a card bearing this inscription:

"Compliments of Tuscarawas county, O. Plurality for Roosevelt, 2,224; for Bryan, in 1900, 613. Presented by O. J. Strope, Denison, Ohio."

The coon will be taken to Washington and placed in the national zoological park.

When the train pulled into the station at Columbus, the president's car was immediately surrounded by a great crowd. The president was cheered heartily as he stepped out on the platform. He spoke briefly as follows:

Enjoyed Ohio's Vote.

"I want to say what a pleasure it is to me to be traveling through your great state, and now to be at its capital. I have enjoyed my trip through the state, and perhaps you will pardon my saying it, I enjoyed even more what you did on November 8." (Applause and laughter.)

Myron T. Herrick, governor of Ohio, and R. H. Jeffries, mayor of Columbus, entered the car and formally extended to the president the greetings of the people of the state and of the capital city.

The president briefly addressed an enthusiastic crowd in the station at Richmond, Ind. When he appeared on the car platform he glanced toward the end of the station, where people still were hurrying toward the car.

"Wait until all get here," he remarked. He then inquired whether William Dudley Foulke, former civil service commissioner, was in the city, and was informed by somebody in the crowd that he was not. Addressing the crowd, Mr. Roosevelt said:

Promises to Be Good.

"It has been some time since I was in Richmond, but I always cherish the warmest memories of my visit to your beautiful city. You must allow me to say that, naturally, I am very much pleased to be going through Indiana in view of the way Indiana looked at me a couple of weeks ago. Now, gentlemen, the election is over. I am the president of all the country, of all Americans of whatever party, and so far as strength is given me, I shall try to be a good and decent president for the next four years."

As the train drew away from the station, it was followed by the cheers of the crowd.

A telegram received by the president this evening from President Francis of the St. Louis exposition company says the weather is fine and all St. Louis is looking forward with joyful anticipations to Mr. Roosevelt's visit. During the sojourn in St. Louis, the president, Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Alice Roosevelt and Secretary and Mrs. Loeb will be the guests of William H. Thompson, treasurer of the exposition company. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson will be entertained at the residence of President Francis, while the remaining members of the party will be the guests of the Buckingham club.

Drew Cheers for Missouri.

Notwithstanding midnight was the published time of arrival at Indianapolis of the special, a large number of people assembled at Union station and gave the chief executive an enthusiastic greeting as the train drew into the station at 8 o'clock. The special remained in the train sheds 10 minutes, while a change of engines was accomplished.

The president expressed his pleasure at being able once more to visit Indianapolis, saying, among other things:

"I have always thought a great deal of Indiana, and I now have reason to think more of her than ever. I thank you all

for coming out here to see me, and I assure you that I appreciate it!"

"What's the matter with Ohio?" yelled some one in the crowd.

"Not a thing," answered President Roosevelt, "and I want to tell you that there are a lot of other good ones."

Leaning over the rail the president said good naturedly:

"What's the matter with Missouri?"

Deafening cheers greeted the sally.

After exchanging a few pleasantries with the people, and bidding them good night, the president retired.

### Precautions for Safety.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—The exposition management, police officials, government secret service officers and those in command of United States troops on duty at the world's fair completed arrangements today for the protection of President Roosevelt during his visit to the exposition tomorrow.

Policemen, secret service men, detectives, Jefferson guards, soldiers and other guards will be stationed around the grounds and in the buildings where the president and his party will pass. They will be among all men and women who come within a stone's throw of the president, and will be watchful of everything and everybody.

It is officially stated that President Roosevelt's special will reach the world's fair at 9:20 o'clock tomorrow morning. It will not go to the Union station, but will be switched to the Wabash tracks and run to the fair grounds.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Nov. 25.—The special train bearing President Roosevelt and party arrived here at 10:03 tonight. The train is expected to reach St. Louis about 3 o'clock tomorrow morning.

## PRESIDENT SPEAKS IN HAPPY VEIN TO CROWDS

Is Pleased With Majority in Pennsylvania But Missouri's Vote is "Better Yet."

President Roosevelt got a great reception during the few minutes he stopped at the Union station yesterday, on his way to the St. Louis exposition. On the platform when the special train of three cars pulled into the Union station, were 200 people, and their cheers were re-echoed by fully 500 gathered inside the gates and assembled immediately outside the station.

The cheering began as soon as the president arrived and was redoubled when he came out on the platform of the observation car.

"I am glad to be in Pennsylvania?" remarked Mr. Roosevelt.

"Was the majority big enough for you?" a voice in the crowd shouted.

"Was it big enough?" replied the president, "Why, it almost exceeded the half-million mark, didn't it."

"How about Missouri?" said a voice.

"Still better," was the answer.

There were calls for a speech. The president shook his head and then, thinking better of it, he said:

"Gentlemen, I am glad to greet you this morning. I promise with all my soul that so far as within me lies I will try to make every Republican voter feel that he has made no mistake in electing me."

The president went into the car, but the cheering continued. Through the windows he could be seen conversing with friends. The crowd had collected at the rear end of the car and the president again came to the platform, just as the engine at the other end was coupled. The jar sent the car back about a foot and some in the crowd were almost hit by it.

"Be careful, gentlemen," said the president. "Don't get hurt. We don't want to lose any voters, even though there are so many faithful ones here."

The train pulled out exactly at 10:50 a. m., after 15 minutes' stay. The trip from Washington had been without incident. No stops were made except at the end of divisions. At the Union station elaborate precautions were taken by the police. Superintendent of Police Wallace and his assistant, Edward Kennelly, were at the station overseeing the work of Lieut. Grimes and his 50 policemen, while Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide had all his force there. The train will arrive at St. Louis at 9 a. m. today, it not being the intention to make especially fast time.

## POLAND IS SUFFERING.

Russo-Japanese War Has Destroyed Her Siberian Market—30,000 Persons Unemployed in Warsaw.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.—Economically Poland is suffering with the rest of Russia on account of the war. Poland had a large market in Siberia, but this has been almost entirely cut off on account of the lack of facilities for transportation.

Between 25,000 and 30,000 persons are out of work in Warsaw, but the government is trying to give relief. Over 4,000 have been given employment at making clothes and boots for the soldiers. Two bad harvests in succession add to the distress.

The rioting a week ago was caused by a combination of socialism and want, accentuated by conscription and the calling out of the reserves. Fifteen persons were killed and 60 wounded.

### Gallows Claimed a Negro.

COLUMBUS, TEX., Nov. 25.—Henry Holmes, a negro, was hanged here today for murdering Stewart John Bell and his 4-year-old son by beating them to death with an iron bar, his motive being robbery.

## OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

### Arrived, November 25.

New York—Giulia from Trieste and Messina; La Savoie from Havre.

Suez—Canfa from Tacoma via Yokohama, Hongkong and Batavia for Liverpool.

Queenstown—Cymric from Boston for Liverpool and proceeded; Lucania from New York for Liverpool.

Cherbourg (Nov. 24)—Bremen from New York via Plymouth for Bremen.

Havre (Nov. 24)—La Lorraine from New York.

### Sailed, November 25.

Liverpool—Georgic for New York.

Ponta Delgada—Romanic from Genoa, Palermo and Naples, for Boston.

Naples (Nov. 24)—Neckar for New York.

Moville—Corinthian for Halifax and St. John.

Naples (Nov. 24)—Trette for Boston.

Copenhagen (Nov. 22)—Arkanasa for New York.

Naples (Nov. 23)—Germania for New York.

### Passed, November 25.

Brow Head—Lucania from New York for Liverpool.

St. Michaels—Prinz Oskar from Genoa and Naples for New York.

Brow Head—Cymric from Boston for Liverpool.

## TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—N. C. Goodwin in "The Usurper," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—Harry Davis' stock company in "Robert Emmet," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by William Ingersoll and Eva Taylor in comedy; 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—Harry Davis' musical travesty company in "Fiddle-Dee-Dee," 2 and 8 p. m.

GAYETY—"Siberia," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—Walter Edwards in "The Sign of the Four," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"Shadows of a Great City," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—The Four Cohans in "Running for Office," 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Scribner's Morning Glories, in "The Devil's Daughter," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating afternoon and evening; music tonight.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh Orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor; soloists, Edward Johnson, tenor, and Hermann Boyer-Hene, 'cellist, 2:15 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Free organ recital, Edwin H. Lemare, city organist, 8 p. m.

OLD CITY HALL—Anna Eva Fay, 2 and 8 p. m.

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### DIED.

PATTERSON—At Denver, Col., November 22, 1904, William S. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Patterson of Export, Pa.

Funeral from his parents' residence, Export, Pa., Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

# POLICE PUZZLED BY GIRL'S DEATH

Four Bullets and a Knife Used in the Killing of a Servant.

LOVER IS UNDER ARREST

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—In determining whether pretty Caroline Reinholtz, whose body was found in the home of her employer, Robert S. Broadhead, at Strafford, last Thursday night was murdered or committed suicide, the police are facing a mystifying tangle of circumstances.

There are four bullet wounds in the girl's breast and her throat was stabbed. If it was a suicide it is a new chapter in the record of self-slaughter. If it was a murder, then the slayer by forging or causing the young woman to write a farewell letter proved himself a master of cunning.

Ostensibly the authorities favor the theory of self-slaughter, but they have detained Jerome Newman, the husband-to-be of the girl. Newman, who came from Belmar, N. J., to take dinner with the girl on Thanksgiving day, and who was seen about the Broadhead place while she was presumably lying dead within the house, is in jail at Wayne.

During the visit of the Broadhead family to Wilkesbarre the girl was left in charge of the house. It was understood that Newman was to visit the domestic during the absence of the family. When the man arrived in the forenoon he says he found a darkened house. He could not get any response to his rings and he passed the time riding between Strafford and Philadelphia, making calls at the house during the day.

The next important fact in the case is that the Kirkpatrick boy entered the house at 5:45 having fed the horse and prepared the stable for the night, and found Caroline Reinholtz dead.

The suicide theory stands on this basis: The girl for weeks had not been herself. Hitherto her presence in the household was a joy. Then came this sorrow, which no one can explain. As far as it is known she had no other admirers than Newman, and her conduct was that generally of a self-respecting young woman. This grief over which she brooded must have been of such a nature that she did not care to meet her lover. The family being away the opportunity for suicide was ideal. She knew where Mr. Broadhead kept his revolver. The girl was fully dressed and over her shirtwaist she wore a man's sweater. First she sat down to a little table in her room on the third floor and wrote the farewell letter which contained directions as to the disposition of her earnings.

This letter, Mr. Broadhead says, is in the handwriting of the dead girl, as he has examined other samples of her writing.

The girl then loaded the revolver and went to the bathroom. She fired six shots, holding the weapon so close over her heart that the sweater was scorched. One bullet lodged in the wall and another struck the bathtub and glanced against the wall. The most remarkable part of the suicide theory is that failing to kill herself with the revolver, she walked down three flights of stairs to the dining room, took a carving knife from the buffet, went to the kitchen where she stabbed herself with such strength that the point of the steel broke off in the vertebrae.

The murder theory is founded on fact that it was a physical impossibility for one so badly injured to exert such strength as was expended in the blow of the knife. She was lying on her back, her clothing disarranged and her hair disordered as though she had fought dearly for her honor. One limb was on each side of the leg of the kitchen table, and near her right hand was the carving knife. This believed by the police to have been placed there by her slayer.

# STEAM TRAIN CRASHES INTO A TROLLEY CAR

Two Persons Fatally Hurt—Dr. J. A. Lichty of Pittsburgh Is on Train and Attends Injured.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 25.—A passenger train on the Pennsylvania railroad, between this city and Pittsburgh, crashed into a crowded trolley car at Bedford, O., today. The passenger train was running at a speed of 50 miles an hour. It carried a portion of the trolley car a quarter of a mile.

THE FATALLY INJURED.

**PAUL E. WATERLOO**, secretary of the Guy and Ralph Gray Lumber Company, Cleveland; skull fractured, and injured internally.

**AUGUST D. RICHARD**, Akron, ribs and spine hurt; internally injured.

The less seriously hurt are: Alfred Sperry, Cleveland, scalp torn off; W. H. Perkins, fireman passenger train, Cleveland, left arm and leg broken; Fred Kittselman, First National bank, Akron; Arthur Budoin, St. Louis; Joseph Cada, Cleveland; Charles Wallace, Cleveland; F. Penton, Cleveland, feet and ankles crushed.

The engineer of the passenger train remained at his post and put on the emergency brakes. He was not hurt.

Dr. John Alden Lichty of Pittsburgh, a passenger on the steam train, gave immediate attention to the injured, and directed other passengers in the work of first aid.

## WILL USE AUTO BUSSES.

Paris Omnibus Company Decides to Not Use Horses Any Longer. Reduce Fares.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—(Copyright Cable.)—The Paris Omnibus Company offers to make a radical change and convert all their horse drawn omnibuses into automobile busses. It has made experiments, entirely satisfactory, with Gardner-Serpollet steam automobiles, and finds a saving of 20 per cent in expenses and more rapid service.

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## MORLEY IS TERRIFIED AT RETALIATORY PROSPECT

Trembles to Think What Vindictive Americans May Do to England in Reply to "Usona."

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—John Morley, the British parliamentarian and writer, was the guest of honor at a dinner given tonight at the Lotus club. Mr. Morley said among other things:

"There is no man on my side of the water more earnest in believing that the best interests of mankind lies in the good feelings between peoples, than Sir Edward Clarke. It is worth more than parchment treaties—this good feeling—whether between the peoples of Usona, or whatever your name may ultimately be, and the people of what I hope is not to be altered—Great Britain. These interchanges provoke retaliation, and I tremble to hear what some vindictive Americans will say in reply to Sir Edward Clarke's somewhat injudicious suggestions."

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# SPORTED BROOM AT MAST HEAD

Speedy Cruiser Pennsylvania Comes Back to Her Home in Triumph.

RECEIVED A ROYAL WELCOME

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Press Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 25.

Amid the shrieking of whistles and dipping of colors by way of welcoming salutes from all the boats in the river, the speedy new armored cruiser Pennsylvania, returning from her successful trial trip off Cape Ann, passed in triumphal progress up the Delaware shortly after noon today, to her birthplace, the Cramp Company's shipyards.

Lashed to the sea racer's masthead was a new broom, symbolizing the demonstrated fact that she can sweep the seas. A still more specific assertion of this was indicated by her time record—"22.4"—painted in large white figures, which glared from her smokestacks.

Patriotic enthusiasm mingled with local pride in the ovation which was given the new warship from the time she left the breakwater, where she had anchored the night before, until she reached her dock in Port Richmond. Big ship and little tug vied with one another in shrieking a thrice-whistled salute, or extending to her the maritime courtesy of a triple dipping of their flags, to all of which the Pennsylvania responded in kind.

The Pennsylvania on her official trial trip made the highest speed with the slightest relative expenditure of fuel of any armored vessel yet built for the United States navy. Economic expenditure of fuel was given more attention by her builders than exceeding the required speed during her trial trip. The economy obtained in fuel consumption was due, Edwin S. Cramp says, to the rigid discipline in the fire room, and the excellence of the boilers.

## EMPLOYING ENGINEERS AND CRANEMEN FOR CANAL

Better Pay Offered for Work in Panama Than is Obtained on the Great Lakes.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—The first two men to secure employment in digging the Panama canal left for New York last night and will sail for Colon Tuesday. They are William and Philip Bates, steam shovel engineer and craneman respectively. Within 18 months the government will have 60 monster steam shovels at work on the big ditch. The brotherhood of Steam Shovel and Dredge Engineers and Cranemen of America, whose headquarters are in Chicago, have agreed to furnish 200 engineers and cranemen.

The wages to be paid on the canal as compared with those received by the same workmen on the great lakes are: Engineers, Panama canal, $190; great lakes, $125. Cranemen, Panama canal, $165; great lakes, $90. Free passage to and from Colon and free hospital services, and free board while at work there will also be given the engineers and cranemen.

## MADE MORE ARRESTS.

Two Democratic Election Judges Charged With Contempt Are Haled Before Colorado Supreme Court.

DENVER, Nov. 25.—Two more arrests on supreme court warrants charging contempt, were made today as an outgrowth of the legal contest over the recent election in Denver. Thomas Clup and Frank McMahan, Democratic election judges, were brought before the court, and released in bonds of $1,000 each.

The court also granted a committee of Republicans permission to copy the names from the poll books of the election. When a complete copy has been made, the Republicans will make a canvass of the city for the purpose of ascertaining the extent of the fraud they charge was committed on election day.

## PENNSYLVANIA WILL REINSTATE ITS CLERKS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—All the clerks in the general offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in this city, who were subjected to the enforced furlough under the curtailment order last summer, will resume full duty on and after December 1. Those who were dismissed under the same order will not be re-employed, unless the exigencies of business demand a larger force.

# IMMIGRANTS ARE COMING TOO FAST

Ellis Island Is Swamped By Tidal Wave of European Newcomers.

CANNOT HANDLE THE CROWDS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—So great has been the rush of immigrants to this port within the past few days that the immigration station at Ellis island was swamped today, and several thousand steerage passengers were forced to remain tonight on board the steamers on which they arrived from Europe.

When the Baltic came in during the forenoon, with a steerage list numbering 1,700, the officials of the steamer were informed there was no room for them on the island. Five thousand immigrants already were crowded in the detention quarters, while the normal handling capacity of the present force of inspectors is only 1,000. Under the circumstances they refused absolutely to handle the additional 1,700 brought in by the Baltic, and the steamship officers were obliged to keep them on board under guard.

As there is a fine of $100 a head for any immigrant who escapes from the ship before being properly examined by the authorities, the big liner was put practically under martial law to prevent the disappearance of any of the steerage passengers, all of whom wanted to go ashore.

With the arrival of La Savoie tonight, the number of immigrants awaiting an opportunity to face the inspectors at Ellis island was increased. Two more steamers, the Campania and the Philadelphia, are due to arrive tomorrow morning.

## BOAT CONTAINING WOMEN ADRIFT OFF ATLANTIC CITY

Life Saving Crew Is Battling With the Sea in Search of Unknown Craft.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 25.—In a heroic endeavor to find an unidentified craft drifting at the mercy of the gale and said to contain several women, the members of the United States life saving crew are having a hard battle with the sea tonight. The craft came to anchor near this city this afternoon. The crew were seen to leave the ship, presumably for the shore, pulling in the direction of Brigantine.

Several women were seen on board waving farewell to the men. Just at dusk the boat was seen to be drifting out to sea. The women were running about excitedly on the deck. Before the craft could be reached darkness shut her from view. Although the wind has been blowing a gale and the sea running exceptionally high the life savers launched their boat and started to hunt for the shifting vessel. At midnight a craft stranded on the treacherous Brigantine shoals but owing to the darkness and the storm it could not be identified.

## CAPT. BROWN'S HORSES SHIPPED TO NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—C. Riddle was informed by wire tonight that the big stable of horses at Lexington, Ky., belonging to Capt. S. S. Brown of Pittsburgh, and S. C. Hildreth, had been shipped to New Orleans, a special train having been chartered for the purpose. The lot includes some 50 belonging to Capt. Brown.

### William H. Blymyer Dead.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—William H. Blymyer, formerly a prominent manufacturer and capitalist of this city, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles J. Dewes, whose husband was comptroller of the currency under President McKinley at Evanston, near Chicago. Mr. Blymyer came here from Mansfield.

### Gives $45,000,000 Mortgage.

DENVER, Nov. 25.—The Colorado Fuel and Iron Company filed today a mortgage to secure the issue of $45,000,000 five per cent 30 year gold bonds, in pursuance of the reorganization scheme indorsed at its last annual meeting of stockholders.

### Allegheniun Buys Colt.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—O. Eisman of Allegheny, Pa., today purchased The Captain, a 3-year-old bay colt out of Bingen-Bellona, by Baron Rogers, for $900, at the Fasig-Tipton horse sale.

# TAKE FORTRESS AT ANY COST

This Is the Imperative Order Sent to Japanese Before Port Arthur.

BALTIC FLEET IS NEARING

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The Japanese army has been ordered to renew its attack on Port Arthur today and to take the main fortifications at any cost.

TOKIO, Nov. 25.—It is reported that the Japanese saps directed against Rihlung mountain, Sungsha mountain and East Kekwan mountain have reached the base of the center ditches. The defensive works outside the parapets of Rihlung mountain and Sungshu mountain have been captured, leaving the Russians in possession of the parapets only.

The Japanese guns are shelling the parapets and inflicting heavy damage. If the forts are taken the capture of Port Arthur proper seems assured within a short time.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 26.—The report that the Japanese are concentrating their energies for a desperate assault on Port Arthur in view of the approach of the Baltic squadron is generally credited in official quarters. Such a move has been expected to transpire as soon as the Japanese learn that the squadron's trip was an actuality and no mere demonstration.

A dispatch from Mukden states that the Hun and Taitse rivers have been frozen over. The low stage of water in the Liao river, the dispatch adds, impedes the transport of Japanese stores from Yinkow, and the forwarding of ammunition is being delayed by the scarcity of wagons. The removal of the wounded from Liao-Yang to Dalny is being executed with difficulty, for the same reason.

The feature of the day here is the unusual outburst of good-will toward England, due to the courtesies offered the Russian fleet entering the Suez canal.

Prince Jaime of Bourbon has been decorated with the order of St. Anne, for bravery in several actions against the Japanese.

SUEZ, Nov. 25.—Two Russian battleships, three cruisers, seven torpedo boat destroyers and nine transports from Port Said, have arrived safely at the Bitter lakes in the canal. Under instructions, the destroyers left the remainder of the squadron and came on to Suez, where they anchored, preceding the transports, which will come through under electric light, arriving here at 2 o'clock a. m. While the destroyers were passing through the canal, men were stationed at their guns and torpedo tubes.

The cruisers and battleships will leave the Bitter lakes at daylight.

While the warships were traversing the canal both banks were strongly patrolled by Egyptian soldiers and coast guards.

The Russian admiral's intention is said to be to go to Diego Suarez, bay of Madagascar.

## SOUTH WILL AID THE PRESIDENT

Gen. Lee Says Dixie Will Help Mr. Roosevelt Make the Nation Greater.

GEORGIANS WILL BE CORDIAL

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 25.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee today in speaking of the relations of President Roosevelt with the south said:

"The papers report that the president of the United States at some time after his return from St. Louis will visit Georgia, his mother's home, and later Texas. I am quite sure his reception will be most cordial and friendly.

"I, for one, do not think the south will be found hostile to President Roosevelt's administration, but will assist it in every measure tending to increase the general prosperity and promote the general welfare of all the people. In other words, it will help him in every way, as the late great Ben Hill of Georgia said, 'in making this great republic what our forefathers intended it should be, the glory of America and a blessing to humanity.'

"The president is not an enemy to the south, and the south will not make war on the president. We know he speaks in exalted terms of the Confederate record of his maternal uncles, and we know, too, that he has said Gen. Robert E. Lee was one of the greatest citizens and soldiers the world ever produced.

"I am one of those who are glad that he will visit the southern section of this country, and glad that he will see the southern people and that the southern people will see him. A closer acquaintance will be of service to both, and to the country."

## WANTS TO KEEP JEWELS.

Mrs. Dodge Ready to Pay 60 per cent Duty on $63,000 Worth of Gems Seized by Customs Officers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—In the United States district court today Judge Holt signed an order postponing the sale of the much-litigated jewels, once the property of Mrs. Phyllis E. Dodge, and directing United States Marshal Henkel to return the $63,000 worth of jewels to the collector of the port.

The order of postponement, it is said, came from the secretary of the treasury, to whom the attorneys of Mrs. Dodge recently made a personal appeal to have the case reopened. It is understood Mrs. Dodge is asking she be permitted to pay the 60 per cent duty on the ground no fraud was intended, and that she failed to declare the jewels because of her ignorance of customs exactions.

## HAZED STUDENT IN AN ELECTRIC CHAIR

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Students of the Hopkins Institute of Art in this city, it is claimed, strapped to a chair with a metal seat a student named A. T. DeRome. An electric current was then turned on the chair. As a result DeRome's body has been paralyzed from the hips downward.

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# THINKS KILLING WAS ACCIDENTAL

Mrs. "Caesar" Young Says Nan Patterson Is Innocent of Murder.

J. MORGAN SMITH ARRESTED

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Mrs. Frank T. Young, wife of "Caesar" Young, the bookmaker for the alleged killing of whom Nan Patterson will tomorrow again face a jury, does not believe that Nan Patterson deliberately killed her husband. Neither does she wish to testify in the trial.

She believes that the revolver was in the hands of Nan Patterson when it was exploded; that it was aimed at her husband to frighten him into missing the Germanic, upon which he was to sail away from her; that the pistol was drawn as a "bluff" simply; that her husband thought his life was in danger; that he tried to ward off the impending bullet; that in doing so he grasped at the pistol and caught hold of the revolving chamber, thus getting powder marks upon his fingers; that in grasping the pistol there was a struggle; that in the struggle it was discharged, in the hands of Nan Patterson, killing "Caesar" Young.

This, briefly, is the view of the crime held by Mrs. Young. It is vouched for by a member of the family, and one of her representatives. The same friend said concerning a report which was current to the effect that Young had been robbed of $12,500 the day of his death said:

"Young left his wife a very good circumstances, all reports of him having died a bankrupt and owing money notwithstanding. Among Mrs. Young's possessions are seven tenements in Harlem, an apartment house at Eighty-second and Columbus avenue, in which she has an equity of $100,000, stocks, bonds, mortgages, cash and a certificate of membership in the Metropolitan association.

"Just before her husband's death Mrs. Young borrowed for her husband $15,000, giving her own note as security. When found dead by the cab he had in his pockets but $2,400. This led certain newspapers to declare that he had probably been robbed of the balance. Nothing of the sort happened. Mrs. Young knows that most of the missing $12,500 was lost at the race tracks. There was no robbery nor blackmailing."

There was locked up in police headquarters today a man who tallies greatly with the description of J. Morgan Smith, brother-in-law of Nan Patterson, who is alleged to have purchased the revolver which killed "Caesar" Young. The man was hustled in the back way and great secrecy was maintained as to his identity, the police refusing to say what was the charge against him. The man was said at Nyack, N. Y., to be J. Morgan Smith. He had been arrested there. Chief of Police Furry of Nyack said:

"The man was J. Morgan Smith. He was found about three miles out in the country. He was taken to New York, and is there now at police headquarters."

## DINED WHERE WASHINGTON MADE HIS FAREWELL

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The "Long room" in historic old Fraunces tavern, where Gen. George Washington bade farewell to his officers, today was the scene of a dinner given by the Sons of the Revolution in honor of the evacuation of the city by the British troops in 1783.

### Chamberlains Back in London.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Joseph Chamberlain and Mrs. Chamberlain are back in London, having returned from Italy unannounced and quietly, several days earlier than they were expected.

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# BIG PIPE PLANT IS NEARLY READY

National Tube Company's $10,000,000 Works at Lorain to Start Early in Year.

GREAT IRON OUTPUT IN 1905

The work on the immense new plant of the National Tube Company at Lorain, O., has now advanced to a point at which the beginning of actual operations in the mills and the production of tube is in sight.

The works are of a size with which only the McKeesport works can be compared and the task of constructing them in the short time allotted to the contractors was one that demanded every endeavor.

Already one of the two new furnaces is in operation and has been thoroughly satisfactory. It is of the modern design, 85 feet high, which is found to be much better in operation than the higher type which was built a few years ago.

The machinery needed for the works is nearly all installed. The remainder is being placed now and early in the year the first skelp mill will start operations to be followed promptly by the finishing mills.

The second of the new furnaces will be lighted about the same time. In addition to these new furnaces there are two in operation belonging to the old plant at Lorain.

Old Mill Not to Be Changed.

The rail mill at Lorain belonging to the National Tube Company has suspended operations until the first of the year and there were reports that it will not resume on rails, but would be equipped to produce plates and shapes used in vessel construction. This report, it is stated, is without foundation. The mill when it resumes will continue on the same class of product which it has been making.

Providing only that coke can be made and transported to the furnaces rapidly enough, the Bessemer pig iron production of the United States Steel Corporation in the first quarter of 1905 will be the largest in the history of the concern.

Not only will the old capacity be practically all in operation, but the new furnaces, which have been added since the flush times of 1902-'03, will be started and the product will reach an immense total.

Furnaces E and F of the Edgar Thomson plant of the Carnegie Steel Company at Braddock, which have been out of commission undergoing repairs during the past two months, are to be blown in early next week, both stacks having been relined and improved.

With the blowing in of the two rebuilt furnaces the entire 11 blast furnaces at the plant will be working for the first time in nearly a year.

The transportation problem is growing daily more and more acute. When it was pointed out in The Gazette a few months ago that the present winter threatened to produce difficulties of this kind the idea was scouted by some. The developments are now showing the accuracy of the information. Heavy tonnage shippers of all classes are suffering, whether coal, coke or steel. Even the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's anthracite department claims to be unable to secure enough cars to meet its own demands.

Busy Time in Coke Region.

Coke is to be made all through December on a larger scale of operations than for nearly two years past. The orders to start every idle oven are being carried out and another week will see the Connellsville and Lower Connellsville regions extremely busy.

The management of the United States Steel Corporation had foreseen the activity of the present winter and provided a sufficient supply of ore. It is claimed that some of the independent furnace operators did not do this. The close of navigation is now but a short time away and it will find some of the merchant furnaces short of ore.

It is reported that John P. Shaddick, who resigned as superintendent of the plate mills at Homestead steel works, will go to Lorain, O., to take charge of the mills there.

## ENGINEER WAS SCALDED.

William Hollis Will Likely Die as Result of Boiler Explosion.

Two men were badly injured at 7:30 yesterday morning by the explosion of a boiler in the cellar of Factory A of the United States Glass Company, South Tenth and Winnebago street. William Hollis, the engineer and blacksmith, who was in the boiler house, was so badly scalded that his recovery is doubtful. He is 45 years old, married, and lives in Oakland. He was taken to the South Side hospital. Thomas Hutchinson, aged 16, an employe of the company, was knocked down by the force of the explosion and badly bruised, but was able to continue at work.

The explosion was caused, it is said, by a leaking tube. Officials say the boiler was in perfect condition when examined a month ago. Hollis was cleaning the machinery at the time of the explosion and was overcome by the scalding steam and water. The boiler was torn to bits, and the concussion caused the large stack to collapse. The accident necessitated the closing down of several departments of the factory.

## FREE ORGAN RECITALS.

Interesting Program to Be Rendered in Pittsburgh Carnegie Music Hall.

The six hundred and ninety-ninth, and the seven hundredth in the series of free organ recitals at Carnegie music hall, Pittsburgh, will be given by Edwin H. Lemare, this evening and tomorrow afternoon. This evening's program is drawn from modern composers. A distinct novelty at these recitals is the second organ sonata by Bossi, an Italian organist and composer for the organ of first position in that country. The work was written for and dedicated to Sir Walter Parratt, organist at St. George's chapel, Windsor. The overture by Wolstenholme is one of the best modern works for the organ, while the Introduction to heard Siegfried Idyll gives additional romantic color to this interesting program, which in full is:

Concert Overture in F.....Wolstenholme
a. Intermezzo in B flat.....Lemare
b. Andante Cantabile.....Lemare
Seigfried Idyll.....Wagner
Improvisation.
Sonata No. 2.....Bossi
I. Allegro giusto. II. Poco Andante.
III. Finale.

## WILD CAT SHOWED FIGHT.

McKeesport Huntsmen Return from Somerset County With Thrilling Tale.

A party of McKeesport hunters returned from Somerset county last night with a 50-pound wildcat and tell a tragic story of the chase. The cat was uncovered by a valuable hunting dog which was killed by the feline.

John Brick of McKeesport came upon the cat clawing the remains of the dog and was himself attacked. In an encounter with the animal his legs were lacerated, but he succeeded in subduing the animal with the butt end of his gun. His companions, Daniel Hardy, George Zolk and Michael Good, McKeesport business men, assisted Brick in delivering the death blow. The huntsmen brought back 350 pounds of game aside from the cat.

## ECHO OF A SHOT.

Man Who Lost One Arm Says He Was Beaten by a Woman.

Alderman Anderson committed Mary Standard, of Lucinda alley, Allegheny, to jail yesterday on a charge of assault by David Lee. Both are colored.

Lee, it is claimed, had some trouble with William Davis, another negro, early last June which resulted in the latter shooting Lee through the arm. The wound was such that Lee's arm was amputated at the hospital. Davis is now serving three years in the penitentiary for the shooting. Lee claims the assault by the Standard woman took place at the time he was shot by Davis.

Proverb book 25c. 4,000 proverbs. National Publishing Co., 306 Smith block, Sixth and Liberty, Pittsburgh.

# REFLECTIONS ON WINDOW GLASS

Simon Burns, Head of Workmen's Organization, Deems Prospect Very Doubtful.

MEN'S WORK DEMORALIZING

Just now, when men in nearly every line of business and industry are expecting a revival of trade, with a prospect of a long continuance of good times, there is one man who does not believe that the window glass industry is facing prosperity. That is Simon Burns, president of the American Window Glass Workers' association. For a man who is not a glass manufacturer, except as he is head of an organization that keeps a fatherly eye on several co-operative ventures by members, Mr. Burns has exceptional facilities for comprehending and analyzing the situation.

"The window glass business was bad enough last year, in all conscience," said Mr. Burns, "but you can say for me that it will be a good deal worse within the next 60 days. One would think that the United States could absorb enough window glass to give employment to all the workmen and afford a profit to all the manufacturers. The country can absorb that much, but when manufacturers try to make enough glass in one year to supply the country for three years, something is bound to happen. It has happened, and now you see demoralization in an industry that once was one of the safest to engage in and one of the best to be employed in.

Jobbers Afraid of Quarrel.

"Has the split among the workmen anything to do with that demoralization?" Mr. Burns was asked.

"It has," was the reply. "Jobbers are afraid to stock up with glass, not knowing what effect upon wages the split among the workmen may have. Added to this is the apparent desire among some manufacturers to work their plants to the utmost, turning out glass in quantities which they know, or at least ought to know, cannot be absorbed by the country. It is useless to think we can export glass to Europe at a profit so long as wages in Europe are as low as they are. Thus we are thrown upon the capacity of consumption in the United States.

"Until men learn this the business will not be what it ought to be, and that men will early learn I have no hope, as you might determine from my remark that within 60 days the business will be worse than it was during the past 12 months. Are the manufacturers afraid to reduce to the output, for fear that all the glass will then be in the hands of the jobber? Well, the jobber cannot be got rid of, and besides, the jobber is just as much interested in getting a fair price for glass as the manufacturers and the workmen are."

The Blowing Machine.

"How about the window glass blowing machines?"

"They are not affecting the market, although they are making glass. I have seen them at work within the last month or so, and vast improvements had been made in them within the year previous. They have come to stay. You can't fight the introduction of machinery. Men have tried to do that and have never succeeded, in America at least. But the trade will adjust itself to the machines.

"It isn't the insensate machine that is demoralizing the window glass industry; sensible man is doing all he can in that direction.

"What can you expect when men enter the window glass business and, realizing that it is a good business, when properly conducted, start out the first year to make the profits that ought to be spread over three years?"

## ALDERMEN PILE UP COSTS.

County Controller Cunningham Determined to Break Up the Petty Blackmailing Systems.

County Controller Cunningham in his investigation into the illegal fees collected by many aldermen, has discovered a practice which he says will land some of the justices in the criminal court. He claims that many of them multiply charges in petty cases and in this way collect costs from a defendant on one hand and from the county on the other. For instance, if a defendant is charged with disorderly conduct, a charge of assault and battery is also placed against him. He is tried on the disorderly conduct case, summarily convicted and the costs taxed. If he paid his fine he would be discharged in the assault and battery case and the county taxed with the costs in that case.

The matter was referred to the county solicitor, who said he had no doubt of the illegality of the practice. In his investigations into these collections, the controller has found considerable that does not concern the financial affairs of the county, but which is properly for the district attorney, and the evidence will be turned over to Maj. Stewart. A person is arrested for a petty offense and is unable to find a bondsman. For $5 or $10 the constable will agree to find a bondsman, and on payment the accused is released without the formality of a bond. In fact, he says, the whole business is honeycombed with rottenness, and the office does not seem to be used for the purposes of law and justice, but to provide the holder of it and four or five hangers-on with an easy living.

Exorbitant prices are charged to keepers of disorderly houses for merchandise, and if they do not pay they are charged with selling liquor without a license or keeping a disorderly house, and told if they pay up they will be discharged. They usually pay up.

Claims Delmont Cut His Throat.

Three prisoners at Central station yesterday morning were John Delmont, Peter Janaway and Paul Conroy. The latter had his throat bandaged and said the wound had been inflicted by Delmont the night before. He said he had accompanied Janaway to a house in Third avenue, and while waiting on the outside was cut by Delmont with a razor. Part of Conroy's windpipe is apparently severed. He made an information against Delmont, and the latter was held in $1,000 bail.

WHERE SHALL I BUY A PIANO?

Pittsburgh, November 26.—Few people realize the importance in the selection of a piano for their home. It means a companion for a lifetime. If it becomes harsh and "tinpanny" in tone you will always be dissatisfied. If you select a world-renowned make like the genuine Chickering or the old reliable Hardman or Kroeger pianos you are sure to have a standard make, with a sweet, singing, poetic and mellow tone that will last a lifetime. These pianos are sold only by W. F. Frederick, the reliable piano dealer, 633 Smithfield street; also 10 other reliable makes. Our reasonable prices and easy terms, if wanted, make piano buying easy at this store. Art catalogue free. Entire building. Remember the genuine Chickering, Hardman, Strich & Zeidler, Kroeger, McPhail, Estey, Schubert, Haines Bros., Kingsbury, Price & Teeple pianos and Chase & Baker and Hardman piano players are sold only by W. F. Frederick. G. & W. Schroeder, Mgrs. Largest dealers between N. Y. & Chicago.

Largest stock of pianos in Pittsburgh. Used uprights, reliable makes, $100. Terms $15.00 down, $7.00 per month. Bargains in used Chickering, Hardman, Steinways and Kroeger pianos. Uprights and grands.

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Exhibit 3260

Exhibit 3426

Every hat we sell is intended to be a sufficient reason why the purchaser should come back after it is worn out for another. Men who have bought Oetting's hats in the past will come back as a matter of course; those who have not purchased hats here have something to learn which will be immensely to their advantage.

Best hats are $4 and $3.
Next best $2.50 and $1.75.

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JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Weather—Cloudy.
Yesterday's Temperature—Max. 44; Min. 33.

Saturday, November 26, 1904.

A Savory Menu—Roast Guinea Hen, And the Reckoning Is Only 50c.

A very large number of patrons of our Restaurant were introduced yesterday to roast guinea hen. The verdict was highest praise for this most delicious meat.

Until further notice, Roast Guinea Hen, with grilled sweet potatoes, currant jelly, bread or rolls, coffee or tea, steamed plum pudding with hard sauce on the side, will be served daily.

# The Toy Store Is Ready.

## It Holds Reception for Old and Young Today.

If you haven't had a first peep, you'll be amazed at the transformation which has taken place in our East Basement since the approach of the holidays. Everywhere great vanloads of toys have been unloaded and piled high on table and counter.

And the great Horne Holiday Toy Store invites you to visit the fascinating Fairyland which it presents. Young people of six months to eighty-six years will enjoy the sight.

The display of what you would take to be real grown-up housekeeping things is very interesting—you'd hardly think them to be houses and furnishings of the country of make-believe.

Fairyland begins here with the exhibition of most beautiful Dolls, in dresses of original designs made by expert doll dressmakers. These specially gowned and very handsome dolls are priced at from $1.00 to $25.00 each. Of course there are thousands of other dressed dolls at prices ranging from 15c to $1.50.

Among the undressed jointed dolls first for consideration is the famous Handwerck—they are noted for their beauty of feature and expression. These are shown with both blonde and brown hair. $1.00 each and up to $5.00.

Then we have Doll Furnishings of all kinds—hats, combs, brushes and thousands of other things, even including doll furs.

Nearby are the Dolls' Houses, of which there is a great variety, ranging in price from 50c for the humble doll domicile, to $45.00 for a very elegant doll mansion.

In addition there are such toy buildings as grocery stores, drygoods stores, pastry shops, confectionery shops; at $1.00 and up to $16.50.

Warehouses, Forts and Theaters, even Kitchens—50c and up to $15.00.

Toy Zoos, where you get a set of cages with lions, elephants, tigers—in fact, a complete animal show, from very low prices to $15.00 a set.

Toy Dishes—Tea Sets at 25c to $20.00; China Toilet Sets at 25c to $2.50; Enameled Tea Sets at 50c to $5.00; Enameled Dinner Sets, 75c to $6.50.

Kitchen Ranges, in all sizes, with complete outfits of cooking utensils.

Toy Furniture—Morris chairs, couches, rockers and desks—chairs at $1.00; rockers, $1.25; tables, $2.00.

The Mechanical Toys present a fine exhibition—always attractive to boys and girls, as well as grown up folks. Mechanical Railroad Trains, from the simple set at $1.00, to the very handsome ones at $24.00.

Locomotives with tenders at 50c to $10.00. And there are complete sets of tracks, tunnels, stations, to add to the sets in any way.

Water Craft of all kinds—battleships, gunboats, submarine boats that can be wound up and sailed in the bathtub.

Steam Engines of various models, and upright stationary engines, at 50c to $50.00.

Automobiles of every sort, from the little mechanical car at 50c to the large touring car at $20.00.

Horses and Wagons without end—saddle horses, milk wagons, trucks, 25c to $45.00.

Horses on Platforms at $6.00 to $12.00.

Toy Soldiers—miniatures of the Russian and Japanese in battle array.

Costume Outfits for boys, including soldier, fireman, Indian, Russian and Japanese costumes—from 50c to $6.50.

Magic Lanterns from $1.00 to the new Kinematograph and Stereopticon combinations at $25.00.

Velocipedes, Tricycles, Express Wagons, Doll Carriages in countless numbers.

Games and Blocks without number.

Christmas Tree Ornaments from Europe—brilliant and beautiful—in wonderful variety. 1c to $5.00 each.

### Children's Day in the Millinery Store.

If you have a small daughter in the family who is asking for a new hat, bring her today and let her have the pleasure of seeing a great assortment of beautiful childish millinery. We have not spared trouble or thought in preparing this collection of hats for little girls, but we will feel well repaid by the delight which it is youth's way to express so openly when anything pleases.

Round Hats with Streamers, white and colors, $1.00 to $3.50.

Little Girls' Trimmed Hats, artistically designed—trimmings of pompons, ostrich tips, ribbon rosettes, $3.50 to $5.00.

More elaborate creations, with a very French air about them at $7.50, $10.00, $15.00 and up.

*Women's Trimmed Hats—*

While in the Millinery Store, Third Floor, west, don't neglect to see the $6.00 and $9.00 Trimmed Hats, which we are selling for $3.50 and $4.75.

Another interesting collection, comprising ready-to-wear Hats for women, at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $3.00 and $3.50. In every case worth double the price asked.

Women's Untrimmed Hats, 25c, 50c, $1.00—shapes that will make a decidedly good appearance when trimmed.

### Women's Finest Neckwear, Desirable for Christmas Gifts.

Be sure of it. The very latest conceits in neck garniture are to be found in our Neckwear Section. Just so soon as Parisian women decide in behalf of some certain style, just so soon does it find its way here. In point of variety the assortment is unequaled.

New silk and lace Stocks—jeweled, beaded and medallion effects, 25c to $4.50.

Mull and Lace Sets, a variety of new and exclusive designs, 25c to $8.00 per set.

Real Irish Lace Stocks, $3.00 to $10.00.

Real Irish Lace Sets, consisting of cuff and stock to match, $7.00 to $15.00.

Imported Persian and Dresden Scarfs, $1.25 to $8.00.

Ostrich Feather Boas in the new ombre shaded combinations, $45.00 each.

Marabout Stoles, black, brown, white, gray and natural, $7.50 to $100.00.

*Special Today—*

$20.00 Marabout Sets, consisting of Stole and Muff, $13.75.

$1.00 Stocks for 50c. Point Gaze, silk, lace, chiffon jabots and stocks, either plain or fancy—beaded and medallion effects.

### Weather for Warm Gloves and Mittens.

*For Boys, Girls and Women—*

About any sort of a glove you can imagine, kid, lined with wool or silk—knit wool gloves, silk gloves—in assortment so great as to weary you in an attempt to look at them all.

Boys' heavy knit wool gloves, plain and fancy mixtures, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Misses' wool golf gloves, in plain black, blue, red, white and fancy mixtures, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c.
Boys' and misses' kid mittens and gloves, wool lined, 50c and $1.00 pair.
Boys' and misses' silk-lined gloves—warm and dressy—$1.25 pair.
Women's golf gloves, in an endless variety of colors, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 pair.
Women's cashmere gloves, 25c, 50c, 75c pair.
Women's cashmere gloves, silk lined, 50c and 75c pair.

### Women's and Children's Hosiery.

You will find the sort you have in mind here, and please take note, also, that prices are right. Just as low as we can make them for goods that we can recommend.

Boys' heavy school hose, reinforced knees and feet, 20c grade, for 12½c pair.
Women's and children's heavy black cotton hose, fleece lined cotton and woolen hose, also oxford gray mixed wool hose, 25c pair.
Women's and children's cashmere hose, black and oxford gray mixed, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up to $4.50 pair.
Women's and children's fine cotton hose, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 pair. At these prices we have either heavy or light weight cotton hose.
Women's black cotton hose with natural wool feet, 75c pair.
Women's black silk-fleeced and silk-and-wool hose, $1.50 pair.
Women's and children's black knitted leggins, all sizes, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 pair, according to size.
Infants' and small children's machine and hand knit drawer leggins, black and white, 75c and $1.25 respectively.
Women's and children's black jersey leggins, $1.00, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 pair, according to size.
Women's and children's black and tan drawer-leggins, $1.75 to $5.00 pair, according to size.

### New 1905 Cottons.

Would not a pretty dress pattern of some 1905 style cotton material be looked upon with favor as a gift offering? The recipient can make up such a dress at her leisure and have it ready before the season opens.

Lots of dainty cottons of this nature in the Basement, as well as stylish things that will answer for evening wear.

New Percales for 1905—just opened—put up in 10-yard patterns—nicely boxed.
New Eoliennes for 1905—comprising all the popular evening and street shades. 25c a yard.
New Soisettes—a highly mercerized fabric in both evening and street shades. 25c a yard.

### $1.25 and $1.50 Umbrellas, 85c.

Another lot go on sale this morning. Judging by the rapidity with which the last lot disappeared, many people were looking for just such a chance. So here it is. Styles for both men and women.

An excellent grade of Union Taffeta in the men's Umbrellas, 26 or 28-inch—furze, boxwood or plain natural handles.

The women's are exactly the same quality and have either horn, silver trimmed or plain natural handles.

### Save Money on Boys' Shoes Today.

Save money by spending it? Certainly. Today we have a special sale of boys' shoes, and the prices are down several notches below our regular low prices. The average boy always needs shoes, so the investment cannot but be well timed.

The special prices cover several different lines, including the good serviceable styles as well as dressy shoes.

Boys' $2.50 Box Calf Shoes, stout soles, leather lined throughout, sizes 1 to 13½. Today..... $2.00
Boys' $3.00 Tan Shoes, sizes 2½ to 5½. Today..... $2.35
Boys' $3.00 Box Calf Shoes, stout welt soles, neat and dressy, sizes 2½ to 5½. Today..... $2.50
Boys' $2.50 Box Calf Shoes, stout soles, sizes 2½ to 5½. Today.. $2.00
Boys' $3.00 Patent Leather Dress Shoes, sizes 3 to 5. Today..... $2.25

### 12-Karat Gold-Filled Spectacles, $2.

Of all afflictions, blindness is of the most woeful, while good sight is a blessing which we should ever be grateful for.

Notwithstanding, people are injuring their eyes every day through failure to use glasses when needed. Many people seem to think if it is possible for them to see at all that they are not in need of glasses, and all the while they are abusing their eyes unwittingly. Note how many people hold a book or paper away off from the eyes—they need glasses; note the people who hold a book close up to the eyes—they need glasses.

If you are in doubt come to our Optical Department—a first-class optician will examine your eyes and tell you if you do or do not need glasses. If you do we can sell you a pair of 12-karat gold-filled Spectacles for $2.00—adjusted to the sight.

PENN—FIFTH—CECIL.

READ ABOUT THE GAZETTE PROVERB CONTEST ON PAGE 7. THERE'S MONEY IN IT.

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Department of Public Safety,
City of Allegheny, November 23, 1904.
PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the comptroller until 10 o'clock a. m., Thursday, December 1, 1904. For furnishing the bureau of fire, department of public safety, with 2,500 feet, more or less of 2½ inch fire hose. All information and full particulars can be had on application at the office of the chief engineer of the bureau of fire, Allegheny, Pa. Each proposal must be accompanied with a bond with two sureties

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probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts, bonds to be in the sum of one half the amount of bid. The mayor and director of the department of public safety reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 11 o'clock a. m., Thursday, December 1, 1904.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

THOMAS B. SCANDRETT,
Director Department of Public Safety.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa.
November 18, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of common council of the city of Allegheny, on the 17th day of November, 1904, and was referred to committee on public works.

ROBERT DILWORTH,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Euclid avenue, Tenth ward, from the south line of Wilson avenue to the south line of Perrysville avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading, paving and curbing of Euclid avenue, Tenth ward, from the south line of Wilson avenue to

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the south line of Perrysville avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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In deciding to join its efforts with those of the chamber of commerce in behalf of the Greater Pittsburgh, the Merchants and Manufacturers' association has acted wisely. The movement should be supported by the united efforts of every trade organization in the territory. The consolidation must come, and the sooner the better. City Solicitor Rogers disposes of the only reasonable complaint of the Braddock chamber of commerce by pointing out that the consolidation act provides for each municipality meeting its own indebtedness contracted prior to union. For the remainder all of the arguments used by the Braddock organization for a Greater Braddock apply with greater force to the Greater Pittsburgh, which would include Braddock and its environs.

The morbid interest in the trial of a former chorus girl on the charge of murdering a gambler with whom she had been intimate in spite of the fact that he was married is disgusting enough, but sympathy for Nan Patterson has found expression in ways that shake one's faith in human nature. The prisoner's father is reported as saying that his daughter is daily receiving offers of marriage, some of them from apparently respectable men who have been interested in her case. Probably we can never be entirely rid of the people who shower prisoners indicted for murder with presents of flowers, but the man who so far loses his mind as to send a proposal of marriage to a stranger because she is charged with murder is beyond hope of recovering his sanity.

The court proceedings yesterday over the action brought by the Voters Civic league in the Grant boulevard case did not touch upon the merits of the case, but turned upon technicalities of procedure. The defendant companies have moved to quash the quo warranto proceedings on the score of legal defects and the points raised were argued by counsel on both sides. The case was heard by a full bench and the court took the papers and will announce its decision later. Whatever may be the result of the proceedings, they have had the effect of arresting the track-laying upon the boulevard begun by the railway company, and there is room for hope that the boulevard will yet be saved. It is generally believed that the Philadelphia Company does not care so much to occupy the boulevard itself if it could be assured that no competing company can secure the privilege.

Some strong testimony was given before the merchant marine commission yesterday in regard to the importance of building up our shipping interests. Secretary Morton appeared before the commission and made a business-like argument to the effect that in any arrangements that might be made recognition would have to be given to the mail contracts, subsidies, bonuses and premiums by which Germany, England and other countries stimulated the growth of their merchant marine. If we want to get into the business we shall have to meet the conditions. The world-famous naval expert, Capt. Mahan, testified to the value of a merchant marine as an element of national defense, and several of our admirals spoke in the same vein. It is worth noting that while this matter is being discussed in this country, Canada is acting and in co-operation with Mexico is planning the establishment of subsidized steamship lines to take advantage of the commercial opportunities which will be created by the construction of the Panama canal.

The rush of immigration is so great that it exceeds all facilities for handling the multitude. With 5,000 immigrants crowded in quarters intended for no more than 3,000, a vessel arrived at New York yesterday with a steerage list numbering 1,700, who were not allowed to land as there was absolutely no place for them to be received. Still another steamship was due last night and two more are due today, so the problem will be apt to grow worse. Not only is the extent of the torrent of immigration disquieting, but its foulness is such as to cause just alarm. Investigation leaves little doubt that Europe is sweeping its criminals into this country by the wholesale, so that we have such criminal societies implanted in this country as the Black Hand, whose murderous exploits are from time to time recorded in the news of the day. Assistant Secretary of State Peirce, who has been making a tour of inspection of our consular service, has admitted that "there is reason to believe that some of our officials have yielded to the temptation to permit the sale of fraudulent certificates to persons prohibited by our laws from landing on our shores." The way in which American citizenship has been cheapened is a fertile cause of difficulty for our government, it being well understood abroad that American naturalization has been extensively obtained by people who have no moral right to it and who use it for a cover for shady transactions. Some of the worst scoundrels in Mediterranean ports and throughout the east claim the protection of our government through naturalization papers to which they have no moral right. Secretary Peirce's report will probably form the basis of some corrective legislation by congress. Meanwhile it should not be forgotten that if President Cleveland had not vetoed the immigration bill passed by congress the present flood of immigration from southern Europe would have been reduced in quantity and improved in quality.

## The Magistrate Courts.

The Pittsburgh Leader is to be commended for its course in calling attention to the abuses in the system of dispensing justice by magistrates in Pittsburgh. Although it has been well known that these officials are not always familiar with the practice of law, when the magistrate is chosen because of high character and excellent common sense people can at least be assured that he will be fair. But when to ignorance there is joined a disposition to assume authority not granted by the charter or to yield to political influence the result will be to render almost farcical the proceedings that ought to partake of a solemn character. The article in the Leader cites instances where magistrates arrogate to themselves the powers of the higher courts or arbitrarily sentence people for offenses not charged in the complaint, simply because there is no evidence presented that would convict them.

It cannot be pleaded as an extenuating circumstance that most of the prisoners are poor and worthless, for it is with just this class that great pains ought to be taken in administering the laws so as to impress them with the fairness of our courts. There can be no hope of reclaiming the criminal if he is led to believe that society is against him or that he could obtain acquittal if he could only command the right influence. Men and women who have habitually offended are in no position to resist even if they know that the specific charges against them may be false, and thus they will go to jail convinced that they are the victims of unjust conditions.

A few years ago the uprising in New York city that swept out the municipal administration was made possible largely by convincing the residents of the poorer quarters that they were being abused by the city courts which ought to protect the honest man and insist on absolute justice for all. As in Pittsburgh, the New York magistrates had ceased to be men with sufficient intelligence to administer the laws, and many of the New York magistrates were too corrupt to protect the defenseless offenders who are entitled to the rights of the accused. The absolute integrity of the court is one of the foundations of government, and neglect, ignorance or transgression is much more serious when attending the trial of petty offenses than when the more powerful are accused, for the prisoners may be too weak or defenseless to maintain their rights.

## Charges of Graft.

The Hon. Joseph C. Sibley, representative in congress from the Twenty-eighth Pennsylvania district, is nothing if not spectacular. He recently published an open letter proffering a reward of $1,000 for the prosecution and conviction of any persons guilty of graft in the administration of county affairs, making particular mention of allegations concerning contracts for county bridges. This letter was sent to all of the newspapers in the county.

It is so unusual to hunt wrongdoers with a brass band that Mr. Sibley's offer has caused more surprise than gratification. Though there had been mutterings about "rake-off" in county contracts, the charge of the Franklin statesman is referred to by his friends as a "bolt from the blue." The surprise is gradually wearing off, however, and the discussion is now taking other forms. It is reasoned on one side that Mr. Sibley must have been very sure of his evidence before he sounded the bugle call, and by the other side that if he expected to catch anybody he would not toot the horn so loud.

It is not for The Gazette to say. It is sure of but one thing. Mr. Sibley has sounded a bugle blast that should be heard all over the state. It should arouse the citizens of every one of the 66 counties besides Venango to give careful attention to the bridge and other contracts let by their officials. The greater part of this business is probably being done honestly, but there are opportunities in it for graft, and the best means to insure square dealing is to have it understood that every item is being scrutinized by the public. It is better to prevent public officials doing wrong than to punish them after they have yielded to temptation in fancied security.

## President Roosevelt's Trip.

President Roosevelt received an enthusiastic welcome to Pittsburgh during his brief stay and similar greetings await him all along his route. While in going to St. Louis he does not pass out of Republican territory, yet it has not been long since Missouri was classed as part of the solid south, and there will be a multitude of southern people at the exposition to join in the applause to our president. It is one of the fine traits of the American character that our party contests do not secrete rancor, and wherever a president of the United States may go he is regarded, not as a party chief, but as the chief magistrate of the whole country and is invariably treated with honor and respect.

We doubt not that in the welcome in which southerners at the exposition will join in extending to the man who is their president as well as our president there will be mingled a strong element of personal admiration. Since the shock of defeat has passed away there is a disposition on the part of the southern press to recognize the fact that the president's triumph was well won and also that there is plenty of consolation for the south in the fact that the issues of the campaign were decided as they were. The south has really no desire for reducing the army or navy or for scuttling from the Philippines or disapproving the Panama policy or abandoning the protective policy. It put up with these planks of the platform because assured that some votes were to be picked up in the north on those issues, and is not really sorry that they have been so emphatically repudiated. Now that the election is over the Nashville Banner bluntly remarks that "in regard to expansion, the Philippines and other island possessions, the majority of the southern people favor holding on to what we have." It also admits that "there are thousands of Democrats throughout the south who are protectionists and who believe that the south in its new march toward prosperity should have all the advantages which accrue to manufactures and other interests from protective duties." And so little does the fear of Bryan weigh upon it now that the Banner says that there are plenty of southern Democrats who "correctly insist" that the gold standard "is the old and true Democratic doctrine." Democrats holding such views must recognize the fact that the success of the Democratic party would have been a terrible injury to the business and commercial interests of the south, and they should regard President Roosevelt as the champion of their true interests.

In the speech which he made at New Orleans, just before sailing for Panama, Secretary Taft made a plea for a better southern understanding of the president. That better understanding is coming fast. People in New Orleans are hoping that he will pay them a visit on the way to a meeting of the Rough Riders at San Antonio next January. If the president finds time to make that visit we do not doubt that he will be enthusiastically received and that sentiment toward him all through the south will become genuinely cordial as the benefits of his election are realized.

## The Business Situation.

Sentiment in industrial and commercial circles is more in consonance with that prevailing in financial circles than at any previous time this year. It will be recalled that the upward movement in the stock market made rather slow progress during June and July, but that this progress was accelerated during August and September, two months in which there is usually hesitation pending the outcome of the crops. It was not until August that bank exchanges of the country made a favorable comparison with the corresponding months of the previous year, but the increase in this respect was very marked in October and thus far in November. Meanwhile the stock market became buoyant, and the money market, while active, continued well supplied with funds.

Throughout the summer and early part of the fall general business remained quiet, and there is no denying the attitude of skepticism on the part of commercial interests as to the genuineness of the improvement in Wall street. This improvement, however, went far enough to enable bankers to bring out plans long delayed for financing the needs of corporations. This week more than $100,000,000 corporation and municipal bonds were floated, thus providing the means for meeting the needs of railroad and other corporations. One of the first effects of these bond flotations was the placing of orders for new equipment, and these orders necessitated the production of raw and finished material. If the movement thus started parallels the movement in the stock market, then the predictions of large tonnage and commercial revival for 1905 will be fulfilled, and there is every encouragement that this will be realized.

The improvement in industrial circles is very noticeable in Pittsburgh, and it is stated that the movement of freight during the past week has been larger than at any previous time this year. The activity in the Connellsville coke region has reached the maximum, and resumption in the mills of this district has been general. Already there is talk of freight blockades, and the possibility of delay in deliveries is making consumers anxious about the future.

The flurry which occurred in the New York money market early in the week affected only stock exchange operators. For months past the latter have enjoyed the advantage of exceedingly low rates for call loans. The continuation of gold exports, both to Europe and to Cuba, coming at a time when the requirements of domestic trade are increasing, gave bankers the opportunity to mark up rates on the speculators. The advance reached a maximum of 4 per cent, and attracted a sufficient supply to Wall street to depress the rate to 3 per cent, which is certainly no indication of impending stringency.

Many persons who want to know are hereby informed that the presidential electors of the various states will meet in their respective state capitals on the second Monday in January and designate their choice for president and vice president. They will then forward a certified return of the votes to the president of the United States senate, who will open all of the returns in the presence of the senate and house of representatives on the second Wednesday in February, announce the vote and declare the election of the successful candidates. He will also cause the publication of the official returns in at least one public newspaper.

Sir Edward Clarke desires the people of this country to call themselves "Usonas." The people of this country are satisfied with the name "American," but if they ever return to the tribal relation they would probably prefer Chippewa to Sir Edward's suggestion.

Premier Delcasse announces that he will favor any movement to bring about peace in the far east. He also favors the proposition for another peace conference at The Hague.

Cleveland has an example of the deadly crossing at grade. There is no excuse for these things. Crossings above and under are always possible to engineering art.

That southern man who proposed that the election of Roosevelt and Fairbanks be made unanimous has not missed the significance of the popular vote.

One portion of the Russian second Pacific fleet is in Suez canal and no fishing boats will be permitted about until it has passed.

Russia has taken a new step in arming the peasantry with rifles, even for the repulse of the wild Olmucks.

This time it is the Cincinnati Tribune that notices the prevarication of the Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Hazing is carried beyond reasonable limit when it takes the form of the electric chair.

Football is out, but hockey offers some opportunity to batter an opponent's shins.

President Roosevelt can conceal it no longer. He is de-light-ed with his majority.

Kuropatkin's movement for the relief of Port Arthur has been repulsed by Oku.

The Louisiana Purchase exposition will have its greatest attraction today.

Gesman Addicks continues outside the breastworks in Delaware.

## Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Emmanuel Leudesdorff and wife christened their twentieth baby last night. He's a fine boy and a month old. Mr. Leudesdorff had determined to name the baby Omega, the last letter in the Greek alphabet. But a guest at the Leudesdorff house was possessed by a happy inspiration. As the christening party entered the parlor he seated himself at the piano and played the wedding march from "Lohengrin" to the strains of which the baby's mamma and papa took their first steps together as joyous bride and bridegroom 24 years ago. Leudesdorff looked fondly at his wife who was 42 years old yesterday, a comely woman, brimming with happiness.

"No," cried Leudesdorff, determinedly. "I will not name the baby Omega. Theodore Roosevelt shall be his name. I am a Democrat, but I am heart and soul with the president in his opposition to race suicide." And Theodore Roosevelt, the fine baby was named. Sixteen children of Leudesdorff and two grandchildren attended the christening.

### Evacuation Day Celebrated Quietly.

This is the 121st anniversary of evacuation day and in honor of that event Park Commissioner Pallas ordered the flags raised at the Battery park and on the block house in Central park. Permits giving permission for the raising of both flags had been given to representatives of the Society of the War of 1812, but none of the members of that organization appeared at Battery park and the flag was hoisted to its place by Foreman O'Neill of the park department.

On the block house in Central park the flag was raised by representatives of the society. Looking back over the records of his department Pallas learned that no ceremony took place at the Battery park last year, owing to the fact that two years ago the flagstaff had been removed because of excavations for the tunnel. In order that the ceremony might be observed this year, the commissioner ordered a temporary flagpole placed in the park and it was on this that O'Neill raised the flag today.

### Gay Wedding in Butcher Shop.

In his own butcher shop, surrounded with the implements of his trade, Albert Timmerman of No. 382 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, was married to Miss Meta Folk of No. 340 Classon avenue, a pretty German girl who has lived in this country only three years. The shop was gaily decorated and the minister who united the happy couple stood between two immense refrigerators, while after the ceremony the wedding cake was sliced with the butcher's cleaver.

It was Mr. Timmerman's own idea to be married in his shop. Many of Mr. Timmerman's customers were present, he having invited them all during the last week, while he was selling Thanksgiving turkeys. After the ceremony the guests took off their coats and moved the large blocks, scales and other furniture of the shop into a rear room and prepared the floor for dancing.

### Chances for Nan Patterson.

Still hopeful that his daughter, "Nan" Patterson, will not be found guilty on the charge of murdering "Caesar" Young, a bookmaker, for which she is being tried, John B. Patterson called at the tombs today and after a long chat with the girl, came out and talked to the reporters for 15 or 20 minutes. He said that his daughter had been receiving numerous offers of marriage from all over the country, written by persons in all conditions and walks of life. Some of them, he said, appeared to be genuine, while others smacked of the tone of a notoriety seeker. Two of them, from farmers, especially attracted Mr. Patterson's attention when his daughter showed them to him, and he kept them to show the reporters. One is from a farmer in Indiana, named Clarke, who says he owns two farms. The other is from an Iowan who possesses only one.

The actress received a large venison steak today from a friend. She had just about determined to have it prepared for her own use when she remembered one of the other women in the ward, who, she thought, needed the nourishing food more than she did. Calling the warden to her, she asked that the venison be given to the other woman. Her request was granted.

### Nips of New York News.

Henry Phipps, Sir Horace Plunkett, Joseph Pulitzer and wife, and the Misses Nancy and Daisy Leiter were among the arrivals on the steamer Baltic today.

New York had the first taste of real winter today with snow flurries as a flavor.

Winthrop E. Scarrett says he can read a horse's intentions by watching its ears, and advises other automobile enthusiasts to learn the trick as a matter of safety.

Mary Mills was fined $3 today for doing a jig on a restaurant table as a feature of her Thanksgiving celebration.

Henry J. Smith was arrested in a Brooklyn theater while in the act of handing to a chorus girl flowers he had got with money secured by forging his mother's name to a check. He admits it.

### Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

**Waldorf-Astoria.**
A. C. Dinkey,
J. F. Burke,
Mrs. M. A. Morris,
W. M. Reg.
Mrs. Reg.
F. M. Wilmot,
Miss M. C. Porter,
Miss M. Porter,
W. H. Donner,
R. Donner,
J. Donner.

**Holland.**
T. M. Cook,
Mrs. Cook,
Mrs. J. W. Scullin,
J. S. Seaman,
Mrs. J. S. Seaman,
S. P. Harbison,
W. Harris.

**Hotel Astor.**
B. Weiler,
C. C. Law,
J. Ruschitschek,
Mrs. Ruschitschek,
C. P. Bryens.

**Imperial.**
J. W. Dalbey,
C. L. McHenry,
C. W. Spane,
F. W. Fowler.

**Fifth Avenue.**
C. H. Baillie,
Mrs. Baillie,
R. J. McKnight,
J. H. Wellington,
Miss L. Barrett,
W. Wilson,
G. C. Wilson, Jr.,
G. C. Wilson,
Mrs. Wilson,
S. J. Crawford.

**Herald Square.**
F. D. Haines,
Mrs. N. H. Yoegtly,
Misses Yoegtly,
L. W. Lyons,
Mrs. Lyons.

**Grand Union.**
W. W. Andrews,
J. H. Duff,
A. Hollander,
D. J. Haggerty.

**Buckingham.**
C. C. Beggs,
Mrs. Beggs.

**Murray Hill.**
J. C. Stanton,
Mrs. Stanton,
R. M. Kerr,
G. W. Pusey.

**Broadway Central.**
A. H. Kelley,
P. H. Curry,
V. J. McAllister.

**Manhattan.**
G. Curry,
Mrs. H. C. Fownes.

**St. Denis.**
A. J. Boss,
S. H. Boss, Jr.,
J. Curran.

**Astor House.**
R. J. Corcoran,
C. W. Smith.

**Continental.**
H. L. Aland,
J. L. Reiman.

**Park Avenue.**
A. S. Johnson,
Mrs. Johnson.

**Grand.**
D. G. McDonald,
Mrs. McDonald.

**Martha Washington.**
E. H. Stuart.

**Wellington.**
W. D. Smith.

**Marie Antoinette.**
A. H. Phelan.

**Marlborough.**
G. Schlotterbeck.

**Gregorian.**
W. H. Hays.

**Hoffman.**
T. W. Schultz.

**Darlington.**
E. C. Wild.

**Gilsey.**
V. E. Magyl.

**Albemarle.**
J. P. Campreau.

**Wolcott.**
J. A. Herron,
W. C. Fownes,
C. C. Preston.

### IT IS TO SMILE.

In the day of doom, the Christian Scientist and the Other met again.

"A man can digest anything," said the Christian Scientist, "if he only choose."

It was no time to quarrel, now.

"If he chews, certainly," said the Other.

Then they struck hands and passed on.—Puck.

Slug 13—I see they are going to found a home for aged proofreaders.

Slug 18—I suppose they'll call it the house of correction.—Yonkers Statesman.

She (sentimentally)—Would you dare anything for me, dear?

He (pasionately)—Anything, dear.

She (rapturously)—Oh, what, for instance?

He hesitated a moment and then—kissed her!

She (angrily)—How dared you?—Brooklyn Life.

Visitor—Your governess seems very good natured.

Lady of the House—Yes, poor thing, her father lost a lot of money, so I took her as governess for the children.

Visitor—Poor, poor thing. Isn't it terrible how unfortunate some people are!—London Punch.

## The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Well, are you glad it is all over? Or would you like to repeat your Thanksgiving?

It wasn't an ideal day, not exactly, there not being enough snow to track rabbits. But it was cold enough for turkey and not too cold for hunting with dog, or gun, or both; so there is really no ground for complaint as far as the day was concerned.

Hunting seems to have been good, but finding was correspondingly bad, if the reports of those who spent the day tramping through wood and over field may be taken at its face value.

Don't take this as an insinuation that hunters are not strictly truthful.

You may have heard the old saying that liars bag no game.

This is one of a kind with that other famous saying, sometimes credited to Ike Walton, to the effect that if you swear you won't catch any fish.

The humane man, however, would sooner hunt with an empty gun than with one loaded, for then he would not be tempted to kill useful or harmless birds or animals.

What pleasure can anyone find in killing partridges, pheasants, squirrels, rabbits and other small game, so-called?

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What do you think of bird and rabbit shooting as an expression of thankfulness for the manifold blessings enjoyed during the past year?

It would be all right and proper if we were worshipers of Moloch or of fierce and terrible pagan gods, but it hardly seems to be appropriate to these times, and it certainly does not accord with the doctrines we teach, nor with the religion we profess.

Have you ever tried hunting with an opera glass?

If not you should try it once, and the chances are that you would never kill another bird or rabbit just for the fun of the thing, or for the sport there is in shedding innocent blood.

Can you see any sport in maiming and killing little birds, or even quail and pheasant, when the farmer needs them so badly in his business, and particularly when you have enough substantial food to eat without disturbing them?

Isn't it murder, of a sort? Certainly it is not Christian, nor can it be since it is not humane.

Haven't you seen a great big man, accoutred with gun and cartridge belt, clad in regulation hunting suit and accompanied by a dog, priced as high as a horse, striding along like a conquering hero with a handful of little birds in his capacious game bag?

What think you of this hero?

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Does the dear girl ever think of the bird skin that adorns her hat?

Adorns! What a prostitution of a good, wholesome word, a word which our language could but ill afford to lose.

Does she ever picture to herself that bird free and cheery and songful, enjoying the freedom of the wild wood and of the field, and then call up the figure of a cold-blooded man stealing up until within range and then blazing away at it with a scattering charge of several hundred fine shot, any one of which would maim or kill it?

Has she ever watched it in her mind, fluttering on the ground with broken wing or fatal wound, trying to escape the grim hunter?

And has she ever watched him as he clutched it in his cruel grasp and either wrung its neck or struck its head against a tree, or maybe against the stock of his gun?

He was doing all this cruel, bloody work, and this very murder that she might adorn her hat; thereby rendering her more attractive, more fetching.

Which is more to be pitied, girl or bird?

The bird-killer is usually well paid for committing this shocking crime, and he will argue that he needs the money.

But what of the girl who sends him on this mission of murder? Does she really need a bird skin, or wing, or plume? Or is it merely an indication of the presence of a streak of the savage in her makeup? In what does she differ from the Indian who crowns and decorates and beautifies himself with the feathers and claws and beaks of birds? Isn't the difference only in degree? And are not both prompted by the same spirit?

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The bird-hunter slays birds that he may sell their skins or carcasses for money and the girl needs these dead remains to make her more attractive to men; but what shall we say of the sportsman who kills them that he may boast of having bagged a lot of game?

Is this not more than a mere suggestion of a savage spirit in his makeup?

And may we not safely infer that the man who can be thus cruel, wantonly cruel, will show it in other ways than in bird-killing? May it not crop out in his dealings with children, or with those of his fellowmen who happen to be at his mercy?

A bird-killer may be a great animal, and even become famous on account of his ability to dominate and to control men; but is he not inhuman, unsympathetic, unkind in heart?

Is not the spirit that prompts a man to kill, to slay, to destroy innocent, useful birds, the same spirit that prompts men to wound and to slay their fellows?

What think you, gentle reader, loving girl, of the man who thus wantonly destroys birds and small game and calls it sport? Could you take him for your husband and love and respect him as you ought, particularly if he devotes Thanksgiving day to this nefarious work and calls it sport?

But as long as our dear girls dote on bird pie, desire to adorn themselves with dead birds and fancy sportive men, so long will bird murder remain popular.

What say you, dear girls?

### The Chronic Braggart Again.

The columns of the Pittsburgh Dispatch record, as a fact, that the Huntington convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement association, in thanking the press of the Ohio valley for support of the great project of a nine-foot stage from Pittsburgh to Cairo, specifically thanked the Pittsburgh Dispatch. To record as a fact an absolute misstatement was an unworthy action. It was all the more so when the Dispatch must have known that the gentlemen making up the convention were not fools, but desire the support of all newspapers of the Ohio valley to be in the future as it always had been. The Huntington convention did not specifically thank the Pittsburgh Dispatch in the formal resolutions adopted by it, nor even in an informal manner. The subject was not even broached in the committee on resolutions, on which the representative of the Commercial Tribune was placed, and the Commercial Tribune, therefore, knows whereof it speaks. * * * The following was the resolution reported by the committee and unanimously adopted by the convention: "Resolved, That this association expresses obligations to the press of the Ohio valley for its enthusiastic, consistent and intelligent services in advocating and supporting the improvement of the Ohio and its tributaries." The statement of the Dispatch was wholly unwarranted.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

### Anniversary Number.

The Cincinnati Commercial Tribune has celebrated its 110th anniversary by issuing a special number dedicated to "Greater Cincinnati." The industries of the energetic city are suitably described and the many excellencies of the place are attractively set forth. The Commercial has had a most honorable history and is entitled to congratulations on its attainment. In the evolution of the modern newspaper many of the earlier ones have been displaced, so it is an excuse for pride where one has been kept abreast of the times for so many generations and been identified with the commercial growth of a city. Good business judgment must be combined with editorial discernment to make a newspaper succeed today and Publisher Esselby combines these two essential qualifications.

### "Pittsburgh and the Men Who Made It."

Theodore W. Nevin of the Leader has issued an interesting little publication, entitled "Pittsburgh and the Men Who Made It." It was originally prepared for reading at the "Clio," a literary organization in Lancaster, but it contained so many facts of a valuable nature that at the request of persons who had heard and read it Mr. Nevin agreed to have it published. The author begins with George Washington's first visit to the site of the present Pittsburgh and in condensed form proceeds to show how the prophecy of the future greatness of that spot in the wilderness, made then by the young Washington, was fulfilled. The men who made Pittsburgh occupy, as is proper, a large space in the book; then there is the account of the city practical and a closing survey of the city beautiful.

## Verses of the Day

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### AUTHORIZED STATEMENTS.

Why did Richard Watson Gilder?
Because he thought the Lady Brassey.

Where was Ernest Thompson Seton himself?
Under the Beerbohm Tree.

What did Myrtle Reed?
A Thomas Nelson Page.

What made Minnie Maddern Fiske?
To hear Edna Lyall the time.

In what year was Charles King?
I don't remember—but he's Ben King.

What is Mary Stewart Cutting out?
She is making Mrs. Everard Cotes.

When did Sophie Swett?
When she saw Cy Warman himself.

Did Ellen Glasgow in the house?
No, but I saw Stephen Gwynne.

What was it John Drew?
More than Anna Held.

Why are the Brothers Grimm?
Because they had a Bill Nye due.
—Carolyn Wells in Philadelphia Post.

### TO THE REPORTER.

No rhyme immortal has been writ
To them the chaps that choose for us
And polish with their ready wit
The best of all the news for us.

Through rain or shine, through heat or cold
They're always on the jump for us,
And be they young or be they old
They're all too glad to hump for us.

A murder case or suicide,
They jot the details down for us;
The debutante or blushing bride—
They photograph her gown for us.

The battle's roar brings naught of fear,
They photograph the sound for us;
And for our victories far and near
They make the praise redound to us.

They criticise the latest play
In paragraphs unique for us;
And if, perchance, our footsteps stray,
They help the "force" to seek for us.

They tell the poor man a sad, sad tale,
In words that quite appeal to us;
And should we pass the social pale,
Our secrets they reveal to us.

They fill the papers night and day
With automobile speed for us;
They tell us what the rich folks say
And chronicle each deed for us.

They double lead strange tales of graft
In politics all queer to us;
And sometimes stigmatize our craft
With comments that adhere to us.
To see a column safely earned
They'll jump in any muss for us;
But where a story's not concerned,
They do not care a cuss for us.
—Lurana W. Sheldon in New York Sun.

### AT BAY.

My child is mine.
Blood of my blood, flesh of my flesh is he,
Rocked on my breast and nurtured at my knee,
Fed with sweet thoughts ere ever he drew breath,
Wrested in battle through the gates of death.
With passionate patience is my treasure hoarded,
And all my pain with priceless joy rewarded.

My child is mine.
Nay, but a thousand thousand powers of ill
Dispute him with me; lurking wolf-like still
In every covert of the ambushed years,
D'sease and danger dog him; foes and fears
Bestride his path, with menace fierce and stormy.
Help me, O God! these are too mighty for me!

My child is mine.
But pomp and glitter of the garish world
May wean him hence; while, tenderly unfurled
Like a spring leaf, his delicate spotless days
Open in blinding sunlight. And the blaze
Of blue and blossom, scents and songs at riot,
May woo him from my wardenship of quiet.

My child is mine.
Yet all his gray forefathers of the past
Challenge the dear possession: they o'ercast
His soul's clear purity with dregs and lees
Of vile unknown ancestral impulses:
And viewless hands, from shadowy regions groping,
With dim negation frustrate all my hoping.

My child is mine.
By what black fate, what ultimate doom
Shall be that radiant certainty revers'd?
Though hell should thrust its fiery gulf's between,
Though all the heaven of heavens should intervene,
Bound with a bond not God Himself will sever,
The babe I bore is mine forever and ever.
My child is mine.
—May Byron in London Spectator.

### THE WEATHER MAN.

The man who tries to tell us what the weather's going to be
Has never heard me sigh with grief because I am not he.
In fact I wouldn't take his job, no matter what the pay
Might be, because I should so hate to hear what people say.

If he's the least bit sensitive his heart must surely ache
To hear the unkind comments that so many people make.
He's sure to start a wail of woe, no matter what he does,
And every prophecy awakes a harsh, discordant buzz.

Let him predict a pleasant day—the farmers all complain
Because their crops are drying up, and they have prayed for rain.
Then when he sees them looking sad because their crops are sere,
He cheers them up with "Frequent showers," and thousands say, "Oh, dear!"

Of course you do not need to have me tell you here in rhyme
That all the world would starve with pleasant weather all the time.
We can't have rain and sunshine both to order every day,
And different folks want different things, and some one must give way.

The moral is, of course, Don't kick! It won't do any good,
For everything will have to go as Nature thinks it should.
And when the prophecies don't please, don't blame the weather man;
He can't please everybody, and he does the best he can. —Somerville Journal.

### Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

**Washington.**
John T. Newman,
Mrs. Newman.

**Planters.**
A. H. Gibson,
Mrs. Gibson.

**Jefferson.**
W. W. Stewart.

**Hamilton.**
D. E. Furusin,
T. M. T. McKennan,
Mrs. McKennan,
Matthew Millen,
Mrs. Miller,
Norwood Johnson,
Mrs. Johnson,
R. M. Morris,
Mrs. Morris.

### Answers to Correspondents.

Voter, Braeburn—Your entire ballot would have to be cast out, it being made defective by the cross after the Democratic nominee for sheriff after a cross for voting the straight Republican ticket.

Mrs. W. Wilding, West Homestead—T. L. Elder, No. 238 Sheridan avenue, East End, can inform you as to the value of the dime of 1859.

# LONESOME AND HE KILLED HIMSELF

Railroad Engineer Could Not Stand Separation from His Wife and Little Ones.

TRACK WALKERS RUN DOWN

Because he could not see his family often enough, John R. Allison, an engineer on the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania lines, ended his life yesterday at his boarding house, the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. R. Cribbs, of Verona.

Allison ran between Pittsburgh and Corry. His wife and two children live in Oil City. He had a long layover at the end of each run and spent this time at the home of his mother-in-law. He complained frequently of his hard run.

At 8:30 yesterday afternoon he went to his room and at 4 o'clock Mrs. Cribbs found him lying dead on the floor. He had placed the muzzle of a revolver in his mouth and fired a bullet through his brain. Allison was 41 years old and was one of the best engineers on the road. His wife at Oil City was notified of his death and also his father at Bakerstown, where he was born and raised.

Charles W. Kiley of McKeesport, died at his home, 716 Evans avenue, that city, yesterday, aged 59. Three weeks ago he was injured at the National tube works. He was born in Johnstown and had been a resident of McKeesport for 35 years. He was a member of Henry Fisher Post, G. A. R., and is survived by his widow and eight children: Mrs. Ernestine E. Berline of McKeesport; Mrs. Ethel M. Geeting of Savannah, Ga.; Lewis, Mazie, Marjorie, James H. and Mary E., all living at home.

Michael Pastor, aged 33, of 953 Second avenue, was killed by a train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, opposite the gas works in Soho last night. Pastor was walking with Anthony Myers, with whom he boarded when run down. Myers escaped injury by jumping.

A man supposed to be F. W. Davis of Hazelwood, was killed by a train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Glenwood at 10 o'clock last night. It is supposed the man was employed at the Eliza furnaces.

Nicholas Stan, aged 3, died at home of his parents in Spear street, Hazelwood, yesterday, from burns received last Tuesday. The child was playing in the kitchen and his clothing caught fire from the cook stove.

The inquest into the death of Mrs. Nettie Hopf, who was found dead at her home, 3322 Madison avenue, Allegheny, November 18, was held yesterday, and the jury rendered a verdict of suicide. The woman had been buried and the coroner suspected her death had been caused by violence and ordered the body exhumed and a post mortem held. The woman took ether and chloroform.

Charles Kologeor, aged 35, of Ambridge, was killed by a train on the Ft. Wyne railroad yesterday morning at that station.

## TWO SOLOISTS APPEARED AT LAST NIGHT'S CONCERT

Schubert's Great Symphony in C Major the Principal Number of a Charming Program.

The third concert of the Pittsburgh Orchestra season was given last evening at Pittsburgh Carnegie Music hall to an audience of fair proportions. There were two soloists, Edward J. Johnson, tenor, and Hermann Beyer-Hane, 'cellist. The latter is the first 'cello player of the orchestra and a newcomer this season, taking the place left vacant by the resignation of Henri Merck.

A Beethoven number, the "Egmont" overture, opened the program, and to those who have been watching the development of the orchestra in this season's work, their sound musicianship seemed never more apparent. It is in these well-known classics that one can measure the real worth of a body of players. The ensemble was well nigh perfection, and the wood wind choir surpassed itself for beauty and unity of tone.

The second orchestra number was the great Schubert symphony in C major, one of the most attractive compositions of this class for concert presentation ever written. Certainly little of its rare beauty was lost in the hands of Mr. Paur. The delightful piano passages of the second movement were rendered with the utmost delicacy and surety of interpretation. It was this movement which evoked the greatest admiration from the audience.

In the second half of the program the orchestral numbers were Saint-Saens' "Rouet d'Omphale," a masterpiece of poetic fancy, and the prelude to "Die Meistersinger," Wagner. Mr. Paur resolutely forbids his Wagner any overpowering effects from the brasses, which causes it to lose nothing of strength and prevents the overwhelming volume of hard tone.

Mr. Beyer-Hane, the 'cellist, played the DeSwert concerto in C minor for violincello and orchestra. He was well received and bouquests as well as applause fell to his share. The other soloist, Mr. Johnson, sang Schubert's "Ungeduld;" Schumann's "Wenn ich in den Augen Seh," and Richard Strauss' "Cacile." Mr. Johnson's voice is of pure tenor timbre, and his singing is intelligent and full of expression.

The same program will be repeated at this afternoon's concert, beginning at 2:15 o'clock.

## DISCARDED PRESBYTERIANISM.

Theological Seminary Said to Have Chosen New Confession of Faith.

Announcement was made at the reception tendered clergymen by Mrs. William Thaw on Sunday night that the Union Theological seminary had discarded the Westminster Confession of Faith and that the faculty had accepted one of their own by unanimous vote.

This action was followed by the gift of $250,000 to the seminary by two men, one of whom is said to be Robert C. Ogden, a partner of John Wanamaker. This action of the seminary is understood to sever the last thread that bound it to the Presbyterian church.

## HEINZE MAY WORK HIS COPPER MINE

BUTTE, MONT., Nov. 25.—Judge William Clancy has signed an order revoking his restraining order enjoining F. August Heinze from working the Minnie Healy copper mine, as the result of the suit brought by the Amalgamated Copper Company to recover $5,000,000 for ore alleged to have been stolen.

### Stole Driver's Money and Rig.

Westmoreland authorities are looking for Harry Quinn, said to live in Lawrenceville, who is charged at Irwin with holding up Michael Habachek, a driver, stealing $10 and his team and wagon. The hold-up occurred near Madison, Westmoreland county, Wednesday evening. Habachek was knocked from his wagon and badly cut. He has made information against Quinn before Justice Fredericks of Irwin.

### Wilmerding Wants Curfew Law.

Wilmerding is the latest of the small towns in the vicinity of Pittsburgh to start a movement looking to the establishment of a curfew bell. Merchants are complaining because of the annoyance caused by children loafing about their stores in the evening, and the borough council has been requested to pass a curfew ordinance at its meeting next week.

### Woodmen Will Hold Reception.

The camps of the Modern Woodmen of America of Wilmerding, Turtle Creek, McKeesport, East McKeesport, Pitcairn and East Pittsburgh, will hold their annual reception this evening at 8 o'clock, in the Wilmerding auditorium. Hon. E. E. Murphy of Topeka, Kan., will deliver an address.

### Will Improve Braddock Library.

Prof. George H. Lamb, chief librarian of the Braddock Carnegie free library, left last evening for New York city to confer with Mr. Carnegie in regard to contemplated improvements at the Braddock institution.

# OVER CROWDING THE SCHOOLROOM

Expert from the East Gives Valuable Hints to Pittsburgh Teachers.

MAY BE PEACE IN M'KEESPORT

"I do not favor an assistant to a teacher of any one school. She should manage her own room and should not have more than 40 pupils in her charge, 35 being the ideal number.

"Children should be taught to take care of themselves, and should be grouped according to their intellectuality. By so doing the teacher can work more rapidly and with better effect.

"A good teacher cannot teach history without a good knowledge of geography, nor geography without a good knowledge of history."

The above were among the points made by Miss Ada Van Stone Harris, supervisor of primary work in Rochester, N. Y., at the Pittsburgh teachers' institute in Syria temple yesterday. Miss Harris, in discussing "The Essential Study," said:

Reading is the essential study. You must teach your boys and girls to read well if you would obtain good results all through their school life. Teach them to read sentences and not words, and when they are able to do that ask them questions that will bring out the thoughts in the lesson. You want quality, not quantity. There are two kinds of reading—silent and oral. Silent reading is for thought getting and oral reading for thought giving. It requires a good reader to perform either. Then it follows that reading is the essential study because it enriches all other studies.

It is often the fault of the teacher and not of the pupils that a school is not a success. Girls and boys are given a book and ordered to study their lessons when they have no interest whatever in the printed pages, and as a consequence get into mischief or get to drawing pictures or doing something that will interest them. They are then often punished for not studying, while in reality the teacher ought to be punished for not trying to give the child something interesting to do. The child who has for its teacher a person who has not genius enough to invent methods of keeping her pupils interested has my sympathy.

### Encouraging the Children.

Miss Harris also spoke on "The School as a Social Community," saying:

We must strive to cultivate in the children a spirit of courage, independence, insight and reformation. In this way alone can we make of our pupils good, strong citizens, which is, after all, our final object. The children should be so handled that they will gain social experience. They should know each other, and be taught to help each other, just as their parents do in their own community. They should learn from each other, as well as from books.

To bring this social community to be a fact we must include in our course of teaching not only reading, writing and arithmetic, but we must keep abreast with the times, and teach our children art, literature, music, manual training, and all subjects which tend to develop the finer instincts of our boys and girls.

Dr. Frank Lockwood of the department of English at the Allegheny college, Meadville, also made two addresses—"Longfellow—America's Most Popular Poet," and "The Art of Interpreting Literature."

The institute will close at noon today. The session will open at 9:15 o'clock with an invocation by the Rev. W. G. Partridge of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church. Dr. Lockwood will lecture on "Wordsworth as an Interpreter of Nature," and Miss Harris on "The Cultivation of the Imaging Powers."

### Teacher's Willing to Compromise.

McKeesport is in favor of school teachers' institutes during Thanksgiving week, providing the teachers get better pay and shorter hours. At the close of the institute in that city, yesterday afternoon, the committee on recommendations, consisting of Prof. A. C. Baird and a number of school teachers, presented their report, in which better pay and shorter hours are requested. Together with the requests were commendatory remarks concerning the institute, the instructors and principally Supt. J. B. Richey. All the teachers were present yesterday and no references were made from the platform concerning the absence of many on Thanksgiving morning. It is not probable that the teachers will suffer any through their disregard of Supt. Richey's wishes, although their names may be reported to the board of school controllers.

The afternoon session brought the institute to a close. Dr. M. V. O'Shea, H. S. Albro and Thomas M. Baillet delivered farewell remarks. They received a vote of thanks for their series of addresses. Resolutions were presented by the necrology committee on the death of W. H. McMullen, a former principal.

## OFFERS CO-OPERATION.

Merchants and Manufacturers' Association Will Work With the Chamber of Commerce for Greater City.

The board of directors of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association at a meeting yesterday afternoon tendered the services of its "Greater Pittsburgh" committee to work in co-operation with the similar committee of the chamber of commerce for the common cause. The idea of the "M. & M." is that better results may be obtained if all the civic organizations unite in one body for the same purpose than would be possible were the various organizations to work separately.

The arrangements for the social meeting of the association to be held Tuesday evening at the Union club were completed. Judge Elliott Rodgers will preside. Congressman John Dalzell will speak on the "Legislative Side of the Lake Erie & Ohio River Ship Canal." John E. Shaw's subject will be "Facts and Figures of Value to Pittsburgh." Robert C. Hall will have as his subject, "The Common Tendency." Hon. John Francies will speak on "Pittsburgh."

## VICTIM OF THUGS.

J. G. McDonald Decoyed from Home by Letter and Brutally Assaulted by Three Men.

J. G. McDonald of 1325 Forbes street was assaulted by three thugs in High street, last night, and badly bruised about the head. McDonald is a house decorator. At 8:30 o'clock last night a messenger went to the house with a note supposed to have been written by Edward Bonner, asking McDonald to meet him at Fifth avenue and Wood street an hour later.

McDonald decided to walk to the meeting place. Two men followed him from his home, but he paid no attention to them. In High street a third man joined them and they crossed the street and stopped McDonald. The three men immediately jumped on him and beat him about the head and body. Leaving McDonald lying on the pavement stunned, they escaped. McDonald reported the case to the police. He believes the assault was prompted by business differences.

## CANADIANS IN PITTSBURGH WILL FORM AN ASSOCIATION

The Canadian Club of Pittsburgh will be organized at Hotel Henry at 8 o'clock tonight. The objects of the club are to foster the professional, business, and more particularly, the social interests of the Canadian residents of Pittsburgh and vicinity, together with keeping alive memories of Canada, and the study and advocacy of such economic problems as would tend to improve the relations between the United States and Canada. All Canadians who reside in Pittsburgh or vicinity are requested to attend this meeting.


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# LARKIN MAY NOT HAVE EASY TIME

Many Republican Workers Are Desirous of Having Straight Ticket Nominated.

THE CONVENTION WILL DECIDE

The Republican convention in which a candidate for controller will be nominated will not be held for five weeks. From present indications, the nominee may be a Republican. City Chairman Leslie said yesterday:

"It is not likely the city convention will nominate a Democrat."

Chairman Leslie is endeavoring to secure the sentiment of the workers. They are being asked for their opinion and many of the men in the organization are declaring for a straight Republican ticket. The city convention will be composed of one delegate from each of the 245 districts and these representatives will decide.

There has been little talk of a candidate so far. Yesterday some of the friends of Maj. A. P. Burchfield were discussing him as probable timber.

The announcement was made yesterday that Larkin would not accept a nomination from the Republicans. The controller was quick to deny the story. He said he would gladly accept an indorsement from the Republicans, but does not expect one will be offered.

The Citizens have asked common pleas court No. 2 to decree them the exclusive use of the name "Citizens party" and "Independent party." The patents cover the county for the February election. The signers of the Citizens petitions for Pittsburgh and throughout the country districts are Mayor Hays, Directors Bigelow and Clark and City Treasurer Steel, Murry A. Verner and J. Smiley Wightman. The petitioners for Allegheny are J. W. Swoger, W. G. Manning, John A. Dittman, O. W. Galley and E. J. Mellvain. The "Independent" application for the county is petitioned by these Citizens workers: James B. Drew, R. H. Heath, W. G. Negley, J. L. Mawhinney and Frank R. Agnew. This new name is to be used to attract the voters who will not support a candidate under the appellation, "Citizens." Both parties will nominate the same men.

## FOUND DYING ON CAR TRACKS.

Motorman Picks Up Man With Arm Cut Off and Head Crushed.

Patrick Kane, aged 30, of Port Perry, was found lying on the tracks of the Pittsburgh Railways Company near the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock last night with his right arm cut off and head badly crushed in.

A motorman on a city-bound car saw the man lying on the opposite track. He was unconscious. Kane was placed on a car and taken to the office of Dr. A. W. Roose in East Pittsburgh and later taken to Mercy hospital. He had not recovered consciousness at a late hour last night and his recovery is not expected.

### Home from Western Trips.

Joseph R. Paul of the Bank of Pittsburgh, and J. T. M. Stonerod returned yesterday morning from a five-day's visit to the world's fair at St. Louis. M. C. Shannon, cashier of the Second National bank of Clarion, was in the city yesterday on his way home from Albuquerque N. M., where he had been for 10 days and where he left his wife for the winter.

### Will Winter at Marshalsea.

John Graham, a blind street musician, who has been arrested in Allegheny four times within the past 30 days, will be sent to Marshalsea today by the Pittsburgh charities department. Graham has a fondness for strong drink and his offenses have been so numerous that the jail authorities refuse to take him again.

Conwell lecture, "The Silver Crown," Tuesday 29. Seats Monday 28, 7:30 a. m., 800 Federal street, Allegheny.

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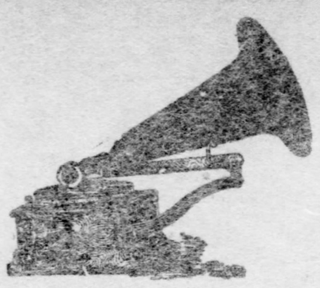

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These with other shipments make a Christmas stock of Handkerchiefs so large as would be a menace to our mercantile life did we not know that price will move them.

We intended to give you Handkerchief values today and from now on that will bring most of Greater Pittsburgh's Holiday Handkerchief business to this store.

Item:—Five hundred dozens Ladies' all linen 18c Handkerchiefs with drawn work corners, 12½c each.

Item:—Two hundred patterns Ladies' fine embroidered, Lace trimmed and scalloped pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c each.

Gift Boxes Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, $1.50 and $2.75 a box of six.

Scalloped Embroidered Handkerchiefs with hand made Armenian Lace Edge, 75c to $1.50 kinds—three prices, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Men's all linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 75c a box of six.

Extra fine ones, 50c each or $2.75 a box of six.

Large assortment Men's Mufflers, 25c to $6.00.

Great collection at $1.00 and $1.50.

Put in boxes on request.

B. & B.

MILLINERY

Today—collection of $8.00 Velvet Hats—Round Hats, Toques and Turbans, $5.00 each.

Assorted collection of $12.00 and $14.00 Trimmed Hats—all nice, fine handsome pieces, $10.00.

Sale of untrimmed shapes—large and small and all colors—for women and children—fine French Felts—75c and $1.00.

LACE DEPARTMENT

Presents a collection of real Lace Circular Berthas or Flouncings, 4 to 7 inches deep—Duchesse Lace and Duchesse and Pointe Lace—$25.00 and $30.00 ones, $15.00

$35.00 ones $20.00

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

B. & B.

DOLLS AND TOYS

Most pretentious showing the store has ever made.

Let the children come and see.

Dolls—dressed and undressed—kid body and jointed, rag, wool, bisque, rubber and celluloid—hundreds of different kinds, 5c to $20.

Hats, Fur Sets, Parasols, Umbrellas, Gloves, Shoes, Stockings, Jewelry Sets, Toilet Sets, Beds and all kinds of furniture and furnishings for Dolls.

Pianos, Trumpets, Cornets, Animals, Tea Sets, Kitchen Stoves, Iron Toys, Games, Printing Presses, Steam Engines, Magic Lanterns, ingenious Mechanical Toys and Motive Devices, Express Wagons, Cycle Wagons, Automobiles, Velocipedes, Tool Chests and a thousand and one other contrivances to gladden youthful hearts, 1c to $18.00.

Combination Sled and Wagon, $2.50 to $6.00.

Doll Go-Carts and Carriages, 25c to $8.50—unusual assortment.

Demonstration of Simplex Typewriters—the most useful toy there is, $1.00 to $5.00.

Printing Presses, $3.50, $5.00 and $6.00.

Sleds, 25c to $5.00.

B. & B.

CLOTHING SALE

Broken lines to be sold cut—$25.00 Suits, $20.00; $20.00 Suits, $15.00.

All neat dark mixtures and all the correct fashionable cut.

These and the Five Dollars' saving may be had today.

At the same time we will present something extra fine in a man's all wool Black Thibet Double Breasted Sack Suit, newest cut and all the up-to-date details, $20.

Broken lines Men's Tailored Raincoats.

$25.00 ones, $18.50; $20.00 ones, $15.00.

Fine new lot Belt Overcoats just received, $20.00.

Extra good Black and Oxford Grey all wool Irish Frieze handmade Overcoats, 52 inches long, with extra good linings, $15.00.

Sale of broken lines Boys' 2 1-2 to 7 years, $6.50 and $7.50 Russian Overcoats $5.00.

Broken lines Boys' 8 to 16 Double Breasted and Norfolk $6.50 and $7.50 Suits, $5.00.

Boys 5 to 16, Double Breasted and Norfolk Corduroy Suits, with regular or knickerbocker pants, $6.50.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

AMUSEMENTS.

MOZART CLUB

And Pittsburgh Orchestra. Dvorak's Stabat Mater and Finale 1st Act of Lohengrin. Soloists: Anna Gertrude Clark, Soprano; Winifred Reahard, Contralto; Dan T. Beddoe, Tenor; William Harper, Bass; G. A. Kraber, Baritone; J. P. McCollum, Conductor, at Carnegie Music Hall.

TUES. EVE'G, NOV. 29

Seats 50c to $1.50 at C. C. Mellor Co.'s 319 5th Ave.

TODAY AT 2:15 PITTSBURGH ORCHESTRA, EMIL PAUL, Conductor. JOHNSON, Tenor. BEYERHAYNE, 'Cellist. Soloists.

All seats reserved at 50c. Ticket office at Hamilton's, 531 Wood St.—Bell Tel. Grant 1532—and at Carnegie Music Hall after 1:30 today.

NIXON—TONIGHT 8:15. Mat. Today. Mr. Nat C. GOODWIN in The Usurper. Next Week, Mother Goose. Seats now Selling.

Grand CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE 1:30 TO 10:45 P.M. THIS WEEK: WM. INGERSOLL AND EVA TAYLOR, TENICHI TROUPE, RICK & PROVOST, 15 GREAT ACTS

THE NEW ALVIN THIS AFTERNOON LAST TIME TONIGHT Mat. Every Day, Best Reserved Seats 25c-50c. Greatest of All Irish Dramas. "ROBERT EMMET" Next Week—"The Village Postmaster."

THE AVENUE. MATINEE TODAY Best Seats 25c and 50c Weber & Fields' Most Successful Travesty. "FIDDLE-DEE-DEE" 80 Great Entertainers and Show Girls. NEXT WEEK—"BARBARA FIDGETY."

HARRY W. WILLIAMS' EVERY DAY THIS WEEK. ACADEMY MAT. 2 EVE. 8 MORNING GLORIES BURLESQUERS

GAYETY — Bartley Campbell's Greatest Play, SIBERIA. Regular Saturday Matinee, 25, 35, 50c. Nights, 25, 50, 75c and $1.00. Next Week—"The Missourians."

Bijou Bar. Mat. Mon., Wed. & Sat. Best reserved seats 25c and 50c. This week "SHADOWS OF A GREAT CITY" NEXT WEEK—CHAUNCEY OLCOTT.

EMPIRE UP-TOWN Reached by Collins Ave. all Car Lines. This Week—Walter Edwards, THE SIGN OF THE FOUR. Mat. Saturday. Next Attraction—Madam Herrmann and Company.

DUQUESNE "Special Price Mats." Tues. Thurs. and Sat. Best Res. Seats 25c & 50c. This week The 4 Colonns' Greatest Success. "RUNNING FOR OFFICE" Next Week—Ross & Fenton and 60 others in Weber & Fields Last Hit, "Twirly Whirly."

OLD CITY HALL—LAST 2 TIMES Today at 2 & 8. ANNA EVA FAY MATINEE TODAY FOR LADIES ONLY. Prices: Matinee 25c. Night 35c and 50c. SEAT SALE AT MELLOR'S MUSIC STORE.

# LIGHT CONTRACT FOR FOUR YEARS

## Bigelow Says the Allegheny Light Company Will Have Competition.

## DIRECTOR HAS THE POWER

Director Bigelow said last night that the contract to supply the city with electric light would be let for four years and that there would be competition. The director, however, would not say who would compete with the Allegheny County Light Company. The Duquesne Light Company is the only possible competitor, because it is the only company besides the Allegheny County Light Company that has a franchise to do business in Pittsburgh.

The Duquesne Light Company cannot bid for the contract unless it makes arrangements with some other company because it has no power plant. It has the privilege of running its wires through the conduits of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Company, but the telephone company has no power to feed the wires of the Duquesne company.

It was reported last night that an arrangement had been made with the Pennsylvania Light, Heat and Power Company of Allegheny, which has a light plant in operation in Allegheny, and wires strung across the Seventh street bridge to the Pittsburgh side.

### Contest Is Certain.

A contest equal in vigor to that waged over the bond issue will take place in councils over the ordinance introduced Wednesday by Charles H. West, authorizing the director of public works and the mayor to let a contract to supply the city with light for an indefinite period.

The sum of $4,000,000 is involved in the light ordinance, as it provides that $450,000 shall be appropriated annually for the purpose, and the new charter act of 1901 permits the contract to be let for 10 years, this section of the charter act having previously been published in The Gazette.

"If the ordinance passes in its present shape," said Assistant Controller Morrow, "there is no doubt that Director Bigelow can let the contract for 10 years if he so desires. The new charter act provides that the city can make a contract for light or water with any person, company or association for any length of time not exceeding 10 years."

This section in the new charter act was discovered and made use of first by Director Bigelow a year ago. Under the old charter the light contract was let for four years, and Bigelow attempted to continue the old system last year by advertising for bids on a four-year contract. It was generally supposed at the time that the new charter prohibited any contract for longer than one year, but Bigelow called attention to the section of the new charter which was known only to a few to be in existence. This section made an exception of light and water companies.

### Blocked by Public Sentiment.

Although Director Bigelow possessed the authority, public sentiment was so strong against a four-year contract that he was compelled to withdraw the advertisement and advertise for a one-year contract. Then the Allegheny County company raised a protest and claimed it could not afford to take a one-year contract at the same prices as a four-year contract, although it meant no additional expense to the company. The Allegheny County Light Company finally came to terms and agreed to take the contract for one year at the same price for four years, which is $96 per year for each electric arc lamp.

If the contract is let this time for 10 years no other company will be permitted to bid for the contract until 1915, or 10 years from next February, no matter how much the price of light may be cheapened nor how many competitors there may be in the field. At present there is only one bidder in the field. The Duquesne Light Company has a franchise, but no plant.

It has been the custom to let the contract in the month of January, and it is believed that the purpose of introducing the ordinance a month sooner than usual this time is to let the contract before the Duquesne company can make any arrangement to lease power from some other concern in order to bid for the contract now. It is claimed that this is what the Duquesne company has been trying to do.

## MANY HURT IN VALLEY.

### One Woman Is Badly Burned and Several Workmen Are Injured in the Industrial Plants.

While papering the kitchen at her home in Munhall yesterday, Mrs. Mary Knoko, aged 35, a Pole, was probably fatally burned. While going up a stepladder she held a long strip of paper in her hand and it ignited from the stove and the flame set her dress on fire. She was burned about the face, arms and body. After receiving medical attention she was taken to Mercy hospital.

Roy Edwards of Harriet street, Rankin, ran in front of a moving traction car after a football near his home yesterday and was knocked down by the car. He was severely injured about the head and body.

George Mears, an employe of the 140-inch mill at the Homestead steel works, fell 20 feet while at work at the plant yesterday and injured his back and head. He was removed to Mercy hospital.

After much trouble a bean was removed from the nose of Mary Slack, aged 3, daughter of Harry Slack of Duquesne, by a physician. While the child was playing with beans at her home one got in her nostril.

## BIGELOW WANTS A METER.

### Says the First One of the 5,000 Will Be Installed in His Own House.

"I will have a meter put in my house among the first that are installed," said Director Bigelow yesterday. "The 5,000 meters authorized by councils will be purchased at once and the specifications will permit any manufacturer to bid," said the director.

The ordinance authorizing the purchase of 5,000 meters for $60,000 was passed by select council Wednesday and was signed yesterday by Mayor Hays. The ordinance providing for new positions in the water bureau to install the meters was also signed by the mayor.

The installation of the 5,000 meters is intended, so Director Bigelow declares, to furnish a basis for a new schedule for meter rates, but as the meters cannot possibly be installed before the end of the year it will be impossible to make radical change in the water schedule before 1906.

## PLANS A STOCK TRUST.

### Promotor Proctor Would Have Companies of the Country in Combine. Is Coming to Pittsburgh.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—A trust composed of stock companies is the latest plan of F. F. Proctor, a theatrical magnate who has been to Cleveland trying to work up his scheme. He will go from here to Pittsburgh to see if he can interest theatrical men of that city.

Proctor's idea is to get the stock company managers of the country to combine, and thus reduce expenses. He wants the combine thus formed to acquire a large number of plays, and have scenery painted and costumes secured through a central body, thus getting better figures. The companies would then so arrange dates for plays that scenery and costumes could be sent from one city to the other.

### Dies from Football Injuries.

LANSING, MICH., Nov. 25.—J. W. Burdette of Berea, Ky., a student at the Michigan Agricultural college, died today from injuries received in a football game last week.

**$11.50 Chicago and Return.**
**Via P. & L. E. R. R.**
Special excursion November 27, 28, 29. Tickets valid to return on or before December 5. Berth reservations at 357 Fifth avenue.

# PRICE OF SHOES SURE TO ADVANCE

## Leather Manufacturers Are Facing a Lessened Production of Hides.

## PACKERS' STRIKE THE START

One must be prepared to walk on his hands and wear steel gloves and bells, if the present tendency of the leather and shoe market continues. Practically every department of the leather trade is up against a stiff advance in the cost of raw materials and it is certain that the consumer must pay the bill ultimately.

The meat packers' strike started the trouble. It is said that there were 14 per cent less cattle killed this year than in 1903 and that the stock of leather on hand is proportionately smaller.

Conservative estimates of the effect of this upon the retail market call for an advance of from 15 to 25 cents a pair in the price of shoes.

The raw material market has been firm and high for some time, but it has recently undergone another change, placing it on an even higher level, and the future does not hold out any prospect of a swing in the other direction. The outlook for a year of much business, due to the election of President Roosevelt, is itself a strengthening factor in the market. In discussing the situation, the Shoe and Leather Reporter says editorially:

### Wholesalers Face an Increase.

It would have required extraordinary shrewdness and foresight to have known a few months ago the safest course to pursue in buying ahead for present needs. Speculation, though to some extent indulged in, has been almost prohibited by the refusal of tanners to sell in advance at prevailing quotations, especially when the most packers' strike rendered values so uncertain. But the waiting policy also extended to shoe wholesalers to a greater degree than may be appreciated, with the result that they are now asked to pay from 5 to 10 cents a pair more for the same quality than a year ago.

Tanners have realized the situation and are paying the advanced prices demanded for hides. The fact that they are pursuing this course, even though against their desire, must assuredly mean that they are determined to maintain the quotations they have named on their leather, at least long enough to protect themselves. Prices on nearly all grades of sole leather have advanced sharply; the stock of hemlock is being reduced daily; the stock of union is not more than one-half as large as a year ago at the corresponding time; oak sole is in abnormally small supply, and large manufacturers took advantage of the low prices existing in the spring. The upper leather market is fully as strong in proportion, and more complicated, owing to the scarcity of raw hides and skins.

A 2-cent advance in calfskins at the close of the summer is now succeeded by another similar rise, and patent chrome side leather has experienced a straight advance of from 1 cent to 1½ cents a foot. In fact, all side leather made from domestic hides has advanced. Splits are practically the only exception to the rise in upper and on this grade firmness is indicated, especially in flexibles. These conditions are not set forth to alarm, but to present the market as we find it.

### Submitting to the Advance.

Shoe manufacturers have orders and must fill them, but they are somewhat fortified in their present position from the fact that as a rule they are not committed to heavy deliveries of shoes. Such being the case, there is no reason to suppose that they should not demand prices conforming to the advances by which they are confronted. Since seabs, re-sets and other off leather are in sympathy with the rest of the leather market, the loop-hole of depreciating the quality is less accessible than usual. Scores of shoe wholesalers have sent in orders submitting to an advance of from 2½c to 5 and 10c a pair, and we are advised that some are now met by another rise which runs up in some instances to 15c a pair.

It is asserted that wholesalers have not large stocks on hand, and the manufacturer believes that he may have a stronger voice in naming prices than is customary, if such is the case the wholesaler will be unlikely to secure the "same shoe somewhere" at a fixed price. The result would eventually be that the higher price would fall on the consumer, and this is where it should terminate, as it does in other commodities, if it costs more to produce the goods. Higher values may be a blessing in disguise if they can serve to take the trade from some of the ruts which are occasionally followed too closely, and in no branch of the business does this apply more aptly than to the shoe industry.

Tanners and shoe manufacturers cannot be blamed for the high cost of raw materials, nor is there any reason why they should forego profits in consequence. It would seem poor merchandizing if a similar attitude were not assumed by wholesalers and retailers. It is not inviting higher prices to pay for quality when conditions demand it, and while deprecated, normal strength must be recognized, as it will be, provided merchants take a logical view of their surroundings, and act accordingly.

## SOME GREAT POSSIBILITIES IN MR. GAYLEY'S INVENTION

### While Not Understood by the Laymen Experts Know That It Is Valuable.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—A practical steel maker says: "The invention of John Gayley, first vice president of the United States Steel Corporation, of the application of the dry air blast to the manufacture of iron, is not yet understood.

"Steel makers and scientists can appreciate it at its full value, but the layman must have it stripped of its technical framework before he can begin to comprehend its possibilities. It probably will prove the greatest invention of years in the iron and steel world.

"Through his process of practically utilizing the dry air blast to keep at an even state the air used in iron making, Mr. Gayley made it possible to save at least 20 per cent in the consumption of fuel. He also makes possible the saving of fine ore and the use of high phosphorus ores heretofore excluded in making Bessemer iron.

"Mr. Gayley's invention, had it been in use on all the 425 blast furnaces in this country and worked as the test plant at the Isabella furnace worked, would have saved approximately 5,800,000 tons of coal. This enormous percentage of fuel saving in pig iron production alone grows to tremendous possibilities when coupled with the application of the invention to steel making as well as pig iron."

## PARK NO WINTER RESORT.

### Visitors Are So Rare at Grandview That a Colored Man Was Arrested There on Suspicion.

In the South Side police station last night was a prisoner who spent the time in his cell wondering why Pittsburgh has public parks. He will reach conclusions this morning when he appears before the magistrate to answer the charge of being a suspicious person.

His name is Thomas Gorden and he is colored. Yesterday afternoon he went to Grandview park in the Thirty-first ward. Grandview at this season of the year is peculiarly bleak and lonesome, and the policeman who patrols an adjoining street was surprised to find a man in that strangely uninhabited neighborhood at this time of year. The stranger was "roaming around and could not give an account of himself," the policeman said.

Gorden did not try very hard to explain why he was there. He asked if he was a trespasser.

"This is no winter resort," said the policeman.

The man was locked up on the charge of being a suspicious person. It happens that few people visit the park after August and a sojourner attracts attention.

## DAVID B. HILL WINS CONSTITUTIONAL POINT

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—That section of the code of civil procedure which makes it mandatory upon the courts to set libel, slander and other preferred causes down for an immediate trial on a certain day, is unconstitutional, according to a decision handed down today by the appellate division of the supreme court. David B. Hill argued against the constitutionality of the section.

### No Dealings With Scandinavia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.—The minister of Sweden and Norway today denied that any Japanese naval officers ever visited Scandinavian ports for the purpose of chartering steamers to transport mines or other explosive engines.

# The Death Roll

### Mrs. Mary Frauenheim Buried.

During the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Mary Frauenheim in St. Augustine's Catholic church, Lawrenceville, yesterday morning, the Capuchin Fathers, who have charge of the congregation, signally honored the memory of their benefactress by chanting the Gregorian office for the dead, the special choir being composed of 18 priests from the Capuchin monastery in Lawrenceville. Solemn high requiem mass was offered by the Very Rev. Father Joseph Anthony at 10 o'clock. He was assisted by the Rev. Father P. Chautz as deacon, the Rev. Father Hyacinth as sub-deacon and the Rev. Father Gotthardt as master of ceremonies. Fifty children from St. Joseph Orphans' asylum of Troy Hill, Allegheny, and representatives from each convent in this county attended the services. There were many handsome floral pieces. The honorary pallbearers were J. T. Kell, William Loeffler, Titus Berger, J. H. Friday, W. J. Friday, M. H. Berger, E. H. Meyers, J. F. Ober, A. Schillo and F. J. Deitrich. Burial was made in the family plot on St. Mary's cemetery, Lawrenceville. The Very Rev. Father Anthony officiated at the grave.

### Francis Buell Cooley.

Francis Buell Cooley, founder of the wholesale dry goods house of Cooley, Farwell & Co., from which sprung Field & Letter, Marshall Field & Co., and many other dry goods houses in Chicago, died at Hartford, Conn., yesterday, aged 82. Mr. Cooley was born in Grandville, Conn., and when 25 years of age went to Chicago. After remaining in that city 18 years he amassed a large fortune and then moved to Hartford. Mr. Cooley became president of the National Exchange bank and held the position 25 years. He was president of the Society for Savings, the largest savings bank in Connecticut, and a director in several financial institutions. In 1883-85 he served as a state senator, and at one time was a trustee of the old Hartford, Providence & Fishkill railroad, now a part of the New York, New Haven & Hartford system. His survivors are Mrs. Cooley, two sons and two daughters.

### Miss E. Ellen Russell.

Miss E. Ellen Russell, sister of the Rev. Dr. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the Sixth United Presbyterian church, East End, died suddenly of heart trouble yesterday morning at White Haven, Pa., after a long illness. Miss Russell was the third daughter of John T. and Jane Williamson Russell and was born in Mercer county on September 5, 1853. She was graduated from Westminster college in 1881. For 10 years she was assistant principal of the high school of New Castle, Pa., from which she was called to the chair of English literature in Tarkio college, Missouri, which position she filled with success for about 10 years. She is survived by two sisters and two brothers—Isabel A., Vinnie J. and James M., who reside at the family home near Mercer, and Dr. R. M. Russell of Pittsburgh. The funeral will take place from the family home in Mercer on Monday at 2 p. m.

### Benjamin F. Robinson.

Benjamin F. Robinson, aged 41, a well-known resident of McKeesport, died at his home, Shaw and Highland avenues, yesterday morning, after an illness of six months. He was born in Versailles township, and had been a resident of the Monongahela valley all his life. Mr. Robinson is survived by his widow, two sons, Edward and Archibald, a daughter, Reta A., one brother, P. J. Robinson, and a sister, Mrs. Susan Davis of Duquesne. Funeral services will be held at his late home at 2 p. m. tomorrow, and interment will be made in Richland cemetery.

### Prof. William G. Purdy.

Word of the death of Prof. William G. Purdy, brother of Attorney A. C. Purdy of Pittsburgh, at Knoxville, Tenn., was received in Pittsburgh yesterday. Prof. Purdy was aged 32, and a graduate of the Western University of Pennsylvania. He had been professor of mathematics in Knoxville college, Knoxville, Tenn., for several years. He is survived by his widow, two children, his parents and a brother. The remains will be buried from the home of his parents, who reside near Beaver, Pa.

### Roger P. Brocklebank.

Roger P. Brocklebank, aged 18, is dead at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Brocklebank, 5147 Woodworth street, Shadyside. He was a member of the Pittsburgh High school and an exceptionally brilliant student. The funeral services will be held at the family residence this evening, the Rev. Dr. William P. Schrom, pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a member, officiating. The interment will take place at Wooster, O., tomorrow afternoon.

### Miss Susanna Kearns.

Miss Susanna Kearns, aged 80, is dead at the home of her niece, Mrs. B. F. Petrie, 134 Prospect avenue, Ingram. Miss Kearns was born in the Ninth ward, Pittsburgh, and spent her entire life in and near this city. For 20 years she had lived with her niece at Ingram. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, Ingram. Funeral services were held last evening. The interment will be made this morning.

### Mrs. Maria B. Wilks.

Mrs. Maria B. Wilks, the oldest actress in the United States, died yesterday in the Prince of Peace hospital at Philadelphia, aged 88. She retired from the stage many years ago. Mrs. Wilks was the original "Widow Melnotte," with Edwin Forrest, and was a member of the companies of most of the famous actors of her time.

### Miss Ellen Russell.

Miss Ellen Russell of Springfield township, Mercer county, died yesterday at a sanitarium in the eastern part of the state. She was a daughter of the late John Russell and a sister of the Rev. Dr. Russell of the East End, Pittsburgh. She was a member of the Second United Presbyterian church of Mercer.

### William Hopper Buried.

The remains of William Hopper were buried in Raccoon cemetery, Beaver county, Pa., yesterday. Mr. Hopper, who was aged 86, died at New Sheffield on Wednesday. He was a brother of the late Dr. James Hopper, formerly of Pittsburgh.

### Harry Walton Hatfield.

Harry Walton Hatfield, aged 39, died yesterday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hatfield, in California avenue, Avalon. He was born in Allegheny. His parents and a sister, Mrs. Eliza Lutz of Allegheny, survive.

### Obituary Notes.

Angus B. Condron, aged 25, a carpenter, of Verona is dead. He leaves four children. His wife died a year ago.

Thomas Squires Morrices died Thursday night at his home in Ellwood, aged 70. He served throughout the civil war.

Miss Katherine Jackson, aged 34, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson, McKees Rocks, yesterday morning of bronchitis.

John W. Nabors, aged 59, is dead at his home in Uniontown. He leaves a widow and three children, Mrs. Minnie Boyd of McKeesport, Martin Nabors of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. Adia Lowry of Uniontown.

D. W. Holmes, a wealthy merchant, died near Washington, Pa., yesterday, aged 71. He was born in Washington county, and amassed a fortune in the oil business. A widow and three children survive him: Thomas Holmes of Monessen; Albert Holmes of Claysville, and Samuel, Charles, Theresa and Ida of Washington.

William Taylor died at Greensburg Thursday night. He was 76 years old and a native of the Ligonier valley. While a comparatively young man he sailed around the "Horn" and was among the first to reach California after the discovery of gold. He engaged in business in Greensburg upon his return. He served as county commissioner for two terms, being elected on the Republican ticket. He is survived by his widow and one son and one daughter, Cyrus Taylor, a Pennsylvania railroad freight conductor, and Mrs. Lewis Hawk of Greensburg.

## DIED.

BOURNE—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 2 p. m., EDWARD BOURNE, in the 76th year of his age.

Funeral services at the family residence, 833 Western avenue, Allegheny, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

BROWN—Suddenly, Thursday morning, November 24, 1904, RUTH KATHERINE, only daughter of George L. and Louise Osborn Brown, aged 5 years.

Funeral services and interment private Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ENSMINGER—At Butler, Pa., November 24, 1904, at 10:30 p. m., LILLIAN E., daughter of William H. and Annie Ensminger (nee Vogely), aged 27 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her parents Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

KEARNS—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 1:50 p. m., MISS SUSANNA KEARNS, in her 80th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her niece, Mrs. B. F. Petrie, 134 Prospect avenue, Ingram, Pa., this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Saturday morning.

LARKIN—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 9 a. m., ROBERT E., beloved son of J. W. and Annie E. Larkin, aged 1 year 2 months.

Funeral at the residence, 363 Carolina street, Oakland, on Saturday at 2 p. m.

MAHON—On Wednesday, November 23, 1904, at 11 o'clock p. m., at her home MONY MAHON.

Funeral services at the residence of D. A. D. McCabe, 20 State street, Coraopolis, Pa., at 7:45 this morning. Interment Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

McGIFFIN—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 7:40 p. m., at his residence, 10 Grace street, Mt. Washington, JOHN F. McGIFFIN, husband of Ida J. Beltzhoover, in his 65th year.

Funeral services at Mt. Washington Methodist Episcopal church, Sycamore street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MINNES—On Wednesday, November 23, 1904, JOHN M'INNES, aged 48 years.

Funeral from William Reitz's chapel, 74 Roberts street, on Sunday at 2 o'clock p. m. Carpenters' local union No. 142 are invited to attend. Was employed by A. S. Wilson.

PATTERSON—At Denver, Col., November 23, 1904, WILLIAM S. PATTERSON, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Patterson of Export, Pa.

Notice of funeral later.

PAUL—On Wednesday, November 23, 1904, at 7:30 p. m., HARRY BEALL, youngest son of John and Cora Paul, aged 1 year.

Funeral services at parents' residence, 5908 Harvard street, East End, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

REICH—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 9:30 p. m., WILLIAM C. REICH, aged 4 years, son of William D. and Annie Reich.

Services and interment private.

ROBINSON—On Friday, November 25, 1904, at 5:43 a. m., at his residence, corner Highland and Shaw avenues, McKeesport, Pa., BENJAMIN F. ROBINSON, aged 41 years and 2 months.

Funeral Sunday, November 27, 1904, at 2 p. m.

SANDERS—On Thursday, November 24, 1904, at 1:30 a. m., WILLIAM CROOKS SANDERS, in his 54th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 83 Cheny street, Etna, Pa., on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SHORNHORST—On Wednesday, November 23, 1904, at 11:30 p. m., at the family residence, 1905 Bedford avenue, ANNA M. SHORNHORST (nee Sanders), beloved wife of Henry Shornhorst, aged 35 years.

Funeral services Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

STEWART—On Friday, November 25, 1904, at 2:15 a. m., MARION, beloved wife of George Stewart (nee Twigg), in her 83d year.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. John H. Brown, corner Seventh and Center streets, Aspinwall, on Monday, November 28, 1904, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WENDT—On Wednesday, November 23, 1904, at 1 a. m., WILLIAM F. WENDT, aged 36 years and 23 days.

Funeral service at his late residence, 94 Climax street, Thirty-eighth Ward, South Pittsburgh, on Saturday, November 26, at 2:30 p. m. Members of Lodge 45, F. and A. M., Zerubbabel chapter No. 162, R. A. M., Pittsburgh commandery No. 1, K. T., Pennsylvania consistory, A. A. S. R., Syria temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., Mt. Monah council No. 2, R. and S. M., Lorena Orr chapter No. 18, O. E. S., Guyasuta tribe No 411, I. O. R. M., A. Lincoln lodge No. 206, I. O. O. F., Matthias commandery No. 93, K. of M., Star Empire circle No. 60, B. of U., Greater Pittsburgh tent No. 184, K. O. T. M., and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

WEST—Suddenly, on Friday, November 25, 1904, at 8:30 a. m., WILLIAM D. WEST, beloved husband of Julia West, in the 79th year of his age.

Services will be held on Monday, November 28, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, No. 1266 Day street, Allegheny.

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## FR. HARRISON DID NOT DEFEAT HIS ARCHBISHOP

### His Grace, John Ireland, Declares Recalcitrant Priest Was Restored to Favor By Him.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Archbishop Ireland today denied the statement sent out from St. Paul last night that Father John T. Harrison, former pastor of St. Joseph's parish, had won his appeal to the holy see at Rome. The archbishop gave out the following statement:

"The report as published is wholly incorrect. There had been, indeed, a controversy in St. Paul. Father Harrison having been removed by the archbishop from St. Joseph's church as a consequence of his refusal to go where the archbishop had sent him; and also had been suspended from his ecclesiastical office. Father Harrison has been in Washington for a few days and saw, informally, the apostolic delegate, but it is not true the apostolic delegate adjudicated the case in any way. He gave no decision, nor did he give any instructions to the archbishop.

"Father Harrison of his own accord, so far as the archbishop knows, placed himself in the archbishop's hands, withdrawing his appeal to the apostolic delegate. Thereon, the case was settled at once between Father Harrison and myself, and I of my own volition released him from all ecclesiastical censure, and reinstated him as a priest of the diocese of St. Paul."

Archbishop Ireland said that he had not yet determined to what parish he would assign Father Harrison.

## OLD STUDENTS' REUNION.

### Members of Eldersridge Academy Association Hold Their 16th Annual Banquet.

The Eldersridge Academy Old Students' association held its 16th annual banquet and reception last night in the Hotel Anderson, with an exceptionally large attendance. The guests of honor were Col. James E. Barnett, James S. Young, United States district attorney, and the Rev. Dr. Frank A. Walker, president of Hollidaysburg Seminary. Dr. Cadwallader Evans presided, and James S. Young was toastmaster. Addresses were made by Dr. Walker, Col. Barnett, Dr. Evans, James S. Young, Dr. T. D. Davis, R. A. Walker, James W. Smith and others. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Col. Barnett; vice president, F. H. Coursin; secretary, Dr. Robert C. Beatty; executive committee, Frank Curtis, S. S. Gilson and J. Updegraff. Among those present were Dr. G. W. Kern, S. F. Boden, W. Taylor and wife, J. W. Smith, W. W. Boden, Robert L. Park, J. J. Van Eman, A. R. Caldwell, A. Harmon, Dr. W. F. Larimer, Wilson Elder and Robert Y. Elder.

Nearly all the members of the association were accompanied by their wives and daughters. The proceedings were full of the characteristic humor of the banquets of the association. It was decided to hold the meeting next year on the evening after Thanksgiving and at the Hotel Anderson.

### WRANGLING
**An Old Couple's Troubles.**

There is an old couple of Hillsdale, Kansas, the husband 71 and the wife 67, who made a discovery late in life that would have saved lots of their troubles, something they learned about diet.

The old gentleman says: "One day the doctor told me my wife's trouble was not heart disease but her stomach, but she thought he was mistaken. As I had read several statements in the papers about Postum Food Coffee my mind was soon made up, and it was in the fall of 1901 that I got a package of Postum, asking my wife to try it.

"She said she did not believe it would help her, and so it was laid aside and she suffered all the winter, drinking coffee all the time until about the first of May when she was in terrible distress.

"One night about our bed time she said she must have the doctor, 'but before you go fix a little Postum and I will try it.'

"So I prepared half a pint of Postum according to directions, and as soon as she had drank it she felt warm and nourished all over and in a little while her pain was gone, it was like magic. For a few meals she used a little coffee and then a wrangling began in her stomach each time, so finally she gave up coffee altogether and used Postum only. Better and better she got and grew stronger and finally all the old disease left.

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So many people say, "Coffee don't hurt," and then tell you they "know a man 70 years old who has drank it all his life." That doesn't prove that you can drink it. "One man's meat is another's poison." If coffee agrees and the drinker keeps well, stick to it, but if any kind of ails or disease show, better heed the warning and quit coffee.

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## BARNSDALL HAS STRONG CHAMPIONS IN KANSAS

### People Outside the Gas Belt Threaten to Go Into the Legislature With Fight.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

INDEPENDENCE, KAN., Nov. 25.—People, who are trying to prevent the Kansas Natural Gas Company, controlled by T. N. Barnsdall of Pittsburgh, from piping gas from the field near here, met tonight. The meeting almost ended in a row between the gas belt citizens and people from neighboring counties who want gas. The latter announced they would go in the state legislature and fight for the gas company if necessary.

The situation looks more encouraging for the Barnsdall company now than at any previous time. The Barnsdall company has announced its intention of building a 16-inch line to Topeka, Kansas City, Kas., Leavenworth and a dozen other Kansas towns. A right-of-way has been secured and pipe ordered.

Conwell lecture, "The Silver Crown," Tuesday 29. Seats Monday 28, 7:30 a. m., 800 Federal street, Allegheny.

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### A CONSTIPATED RACE.

Constipation, the most general of all afflictions, is unquestionably much more prevalent among women than men. The reason is obvious. Women's innate delicacy and false mental attitude in these matters and the present social conditions render it more difficult for her at unfavorable times and places to answer the call of nature promptly. As a consequence this most important duty is often on this account deliberately postponed, sometimes for days or even weeks. It seems incredible, but it is nevertheless profoundly true. And simply because no immediate ill-effects are felt no assistance whatever is offered to nature. Can any human being long remain healthy under such deplorable conditions? A continuance of this neglect is merely inviting graver ills and is a sure forerunner of some serious and often loathsome or malignant disease. Nature must be obeyed and unless she is, we are bound to suffer at some time or other for every outrage done her.

These conditions are by no means restricted to any class of society, but are just as prevalent in the highest as the lowest, if not more so.

However, chronic constipation and irregularity of the bowels cannot be cured by resorting to strong cathartics, which, instead of effecting a cure, only tend to injure the delicate membranes of the alimentary tract and if their use is persisted in a condition of practical paralysis of the digestive organs is very likely to result. And yet how easy it is with reasonable effort to induce and re-establish the natural regularity of these organs. All that is required to remedy these evil conditions is an occasional mild laxative or aperient and a little more attention to our systems' needs.

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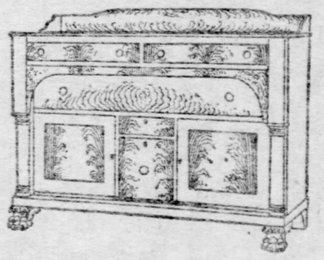

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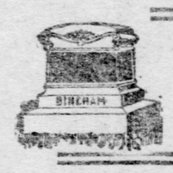

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# MERCHANT MARINE GETS APPROVAL

## Naval and Postoffice Officials Give Their Opinions Before Commission.

### FRAMING BILL FOR CONGRESS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The merchant marine commission, composed of five representatives of each house of congress, resumed its session today. The navy department was represented by Secretary Morton, Capt. Usher, Capt. Alfred T. Mahan (retired), Rear Admiral Stephen B. Luce (retired) and Rear Admiral P. F. Harrington, commandant of the navy yard at Norfolk. Representing the postoffice department was W. S. Shallenberger, second assistant postmaster general. Secretary Metcalf of the department of commerce and labor also was invited to attend the hearing.

Before receiving the views of any of the officials named, Representative Parker of New Jersey spoke briefly, contending that in order to get Americans to go to sea better wages must be offered and that there should be a graded service with promotion.

Secretary Morton followed. His view of the relation of the government to the merchant marine in the foreign trade was that it was simply a question of competition. He said that in order to build up a large American shipping interest in this country it will be necessary to meet the competition of other nations. It will further be necessary, he declared, in some way, to recognize the mail contracts, the subsidies, the bonuses and the premiums of Germany, England and other countries.

#### Navy Should Plan Ships.

The American owner of seagoing craft and the American sailor, he said, must be given equality in all respects if they are not to be handicapped by foreign competition. It was his idea that all ships built in this country should be constructed in accordance with plans approved by the navy department so that in case of war the department could make good and efficient use of them. He added that he was not sure but that the seamen also should have a naval training.

Rear Admiral Luce read a letter recently submitted by him to Secretary Morton to be laid before the commission, in which he referred to the mutual dependence of the merchant marine and the navy. He asserted that the money paid foreign carriers of products of this country goes to enrich the countries with which the United States may some day be at war, thereby indirectly aiding the navies of those countries and their naval reserves at the expense of our own. He favored subsidies as the means of building up the merchant marine.

Declaring that it was through nursing a particular British industry—the carrying trade—that England owes her supremacy of the seas today, Capt. Mahan said that American shipping should be encouraged to come into existence and to compete with the carrying trade of the world.

#### Favors Steel Ships.

Rear Admiral Harrington favored the building of steel ships, and said that the laws of the United States should be changed so as to permit the merchants of this country to run American ships as cheaply as foreign owners can run them.

Gen. Shallenberger did not believe, he said, a mail service act alone would benefit more than a limited portion of the American shipping. There must be some legislative action which will give to this country the selection of at least one line of steamers to each of the principal ports of the world.

He declared that the United States was not on an equality with the shipping of other countries in the matter of protection in construction, operation or their personnel. He said it was an imperative duty at this time to extend the United States ocean mail service, because being confronted now by the English on the Atlantic it will otherwise be difficult to keep the mails in American vessels.

The commission will meet tomorrow and hold sessions during next week for the purpose of formulating a report and a bill. It is understood that the discriminating duty proposition which has been advocated by a number of people interested in shipping, has been abandoned by those who are preparing the measure to be presented. The law under which the commission operates requires a report on the first day of the session, but it is probable that only a preliminary report will be filed and that the full report will follow later in the week.

### LED OFFICERS LONG CHASE.

#### Elmer Thompson in Jail Charged With Taking 6,000 Feet of Valuable Lumber.

Elmer Thompson was committed to jail yesterday on a charge of larceny of 6,000 feet of poplar lumber by Alderman McMasters on the information of C. W. Muncey of Muncey's National Detective agency. Thompson is alleged to have taken the lumber from the yards of the Large Wagon Company at South Twentieth and Sarah streets last January.

After 10 months' work the stolen lumber was located in the yards of Kates & Co., Grant street and the Boulevard, and the members of the firm said they bought it from Thompson. The lumber was valuable and is used in the construction of light carriages. The detectives chased Thompson all over the state and located him yesterday in the East End. He will be arraigned for a hearing Wednesday.

### BOY'S FIRST SMOKE WILL LIKELY BE HIS LAST

George Koritako, of Munhall hollow, tried to learn to smoke yesterday. While he was at it he thought he heard his mother coming and put the lighted cigar in his pocket. His clothing caught fire and the boy, who is but six years old, was so badly burned that it is believed he will die. The cigar was given the boy by a stranger. He went to a shed in the back yard of his home and lighted it. Soon afterward the motorman and conductor on a passing car saw him writhing on the ground with his flames all about him. The extinguished the fire and took him to a doctor's office where his burns were dressed.

#### Missing Persons Wanted.

Pittsburgh police were asked last night to find Frank Rosenberg, aged 23, who lived in Ross township. Rosenberg is wanted by H. A. Rosenberg of Langtry street in the settlement of an estate. Mrs. Carmen Caillo of 808 Island avenue, McKees Rocks, made a like request to the police department, asking that her husband be located. He has been missing for about two months.

### THE BELL TELEPHONE ALMOST EVERYWHERE

#### One Telephone to Each Fifty-Three of the Total Population of the United States.

A well executed map showing the lines of the Bell Telephone companies in the United States and Canada has recently been issued by the Central District Printing and Telephone Company of this city. The same can be had at the general offices of the company or any of its branches. From a general geographical standpoint this map is accurate and therefore useful.

The system of the Bell Telephone companies consists of 150,178 miles of pole and 975,702 miles of toll wire, and is connected with 26,128 cities, towns and villages. It is estimated that the system in total transmitted 3,263,000,000 communications during 1903. On January 1, 1904, the Bell company had 3,740 central offices; 1,525,167 subscribers, 2,983,189 miles of exchange wire and 61,155 employes. During the year 1903 the system transmitted an average of 42 messages for each inhabitant in the United States.

**Additional Trains and Quicker Service Between Pittsburgh and Wilkinsburg.**

Commencing on the 28th inst., Penn. R. R. will improve its service between Pittsburgh and Wilkinsburg by the addition of new trains, and the stopping of through and local trains. On and after above date the running time of local trains between these two points will be only 17 minutes.

# JOHN R. WILLIAMS APPOINTED FILE CLERK IN THE HOUSE

## As a Boy He Was a Slate-Picker at Coal Mines, but Soon Worked His Way Up by Study and Perseverance.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—John R. Williams has been appointed file clerk of the house of representatives to succeed the late Col. Walter H. French, who died in Germany during the past summer. The appointment is a popular one and one that gives great satisfaction to the members of congress and to the newspaper correspondents. Mr. Williams at the age of 10 years was a slate picker in the mines of the anthracite coal region. He gained an education by studying at Wyoming seminary, Kingston, Pa., and became bookkeeper in some of the mining companies of that locality. He became interested in politics and has served as chairman of the First legislative district of Luzerne county and as deputy recorder of that county. Mr. Williams came to Washington as private secretary to Congressman M. B. Williams in the Fifty-fifth congress, and later he became secretary to Representative William Connell of Scranton. He was appointed by Maj. Alexander McDowell as document and bill clerk of the house, and he has also served as assistant in the disbursing office, assistant file clerk and resolution and petition clerk. He is now entered upon his duties as file clerk, feeling at liberty to take this position in view of the retirement of Mr. Connell from congress after this session. Mr. Williams is

John R. Williams.

the protege and most trusted adviser of Mr. Connell, and would not leave his service if he was to remain in congress.

L. W. STRAYER.

# BIG REPUBLICAN FEAST WILL CELEBRATE VICTORY

## Prominent Men to Address the Gathering in New York Next Week.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Prominent speakers will make addresses next Wednesday at the jubilee Republican dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria. No word has yet been received from the president, but it is probable that Charles W. Fairbanks, vice president-elect, will represent the administration and make an address.

Among those who have accepted invitations to speak are Senator Scott of West Virginia, Senator Depew, Gov. Odell, M. Linn Bruce, lieutenant governor-elect; Senator Alger, Elmer Dover, secretary of the Republican national committee, and Charles F. Warwick of Philadelphia. George B. Cortelyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, hopes to be present. It is expected that there will be between 1,000 and 1,100 persons at the dinner.

Mr. Fairbanks is in this city taking a rest. He will go to Philadelphia tomorrow to witness the football game between the army and navy elevens and expects to return to New York tomorrow night. He will go to Washington early next week, where he has several engagements.

### ANSWER IN THE COURTS.

#### Premature Destruction of Thanksgiving Birds Is Likely to Lead to Prolonged Litigation.

Suit against the city of McKeesport is about to be entered by H. C. Haymond of the Western Supply Company, and J. J. Hildinger, McKeesport manager for the Keystone Provision Company of Pittsburgh for heavy damages resulting from the action of Meat and Milk Inspector Murphy in confiscating about 2,300 pounds of turkeys on Wednesday and sending them to the city crematory.

Haymond was fined $50 and costs yesterday on a charge of selling impure food, preferred by Murphy. Hildinger forfeited the same amount without going to a hearing. Both defendants took transcripts of the cases and declare that they will take the city into court.

According to Murphy the turkeys he confiscated were bad owing to the mistake of the dealers in not having them properly dried out before placing them in cold storage. The owners of the fowls claim that they were not damaged in the least, although they admit that some of them had not dried out properly.

Many turkeys were returned by families that had bought them, upon the recommendation of Inspector Murphy, who gave the certificates. The defendants allege that irreparable injury has been done their business.

### CLERKS FORM UNION.

#### Employes in Postoffice Banded Together for Mutual Protection.

Local No. 15 of the Postoffice Clerks' National association has created a suborganization under the name of the Postoffice Clerks' Beneficial association. The new sub-body has applied for a charter. The plan is to create a fund by the payment of monthly dues or assessments, such funds to be used in payment of a death benefit to the designated beneficiary or for funeral expenses of each member.

In addition to the death benefit a weekly payment will be made to any member who, by sickness or injury, is disabled and unable to perform daily labor. This is the first association of its kind in the United States.

### HIS HEROISM RESTORED HIM TO CZAR'S FAVOR

CRONSTADT, Nov. 25.—Lieut. Bondy has just been reinstated by the czar to his rank in the navy for heroism in the defense of Port Arthur. Several years ago Bondy was expelled from the service for a grave misdemeanor. When the war broke out he volunteered as an ordinary seaman in the Pacific fleet, and distinguished himself by bravery.

### WILL SHIP RUSSIAN DESERTERS TO AMERICA

VIENNA, Nov. 25.—The relief committee of Lemberg, Galicia, according to a telegram from that town, dispatched 430 Russian deserters by train yesterday evening to Cracow, whence they will be sent on here. On their arrival in Vienna each man will be given a steamship ticket to America. Another batch of 400 will shortly follow from Lemberg. Nearly all are entirely destitute.

### STARVING AND DESTITUTE GIRL KILLED HERSELF

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The young woman whose body was found in a Williamsburg hotel Monday night, and who apparently had committed suicide, was today identified as Jessie Volt, who came here from Iowa. Starving and destitute, she had been seeking work in Brooklyn factories.

#### Visited Old Pittsburgh Friends.

Washington Thompson, an old-time Pittsburgh glass worker, now sheriff of St. Clair county, Illinois, who, with his wife, has been visiting in Pittsburgh, will return to his home today. Sheriff Thompson is well acquainted with several of the local administration leaders and he spent much of yesterday with Director Harry Moore of the department of public safety, and Supt. Wash Moore of the bureau of health. The sheriff visited the local jail. In St. Clair county he is a leading Republican.

#### Thinks He Stole Molasses Barrels.

Mike Fraizee, aged 41, of 516 Sixth avenue, was arrested at Ninth street and Duquesne Way, charged with being a suspicious person. The police say that the firm of P. Duff & Sons have been missing molasses barrels and Fraizee is suspected of stealing them.

# BLOWN TO FRAGMENTS BY HIS OWN INVENTION

## Creator of Fulminate of Mercury Caps Is Killed and His Secret Dies With Him.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., Nov. 25.—Harry Mills, who is claimed to have been the inventor of fulminate of mercury caps, was instantly killed at the plant of the Western Cap and Chemical Company at East Alton this morning and the little building in which he was working was blown into kindling wood. For years he had carefully guarded the secret of his invention and always worked in the little building which was isolated from the rest of the plant. No one was allowed to go near the building.

It is not known whether he had ever divulged the secret of the explosive, but from what could be learned at the chemical works it is believed that he had not and that his secret died with him. Mills was 44 years of age and an expert chemist.

### TUNNEL NOT READY.

#### Opening of Route to Country Beyond Mt. Washington Is Again Delayed.

Another delay on the part of the contractors has caused a second postponement of the opening of the new "Trolley Tunnel Route" to the country back of Mt. Washington. It was stated yesterday by a representative of the Pittsburgh Railways Company that a week ago the company had definite promises of having possession of the new line by today and plans were arranged for opening it to the public tomorrow.

The company does not believe that any further delay can cause the postponement of the tunnel's completion more than one week, and it is probable that it will be opened a week from tomorrow.

### JAIL BREAKER CAUGHT.

#### Man Who Left Wheeling in a Hurry Arrested in Knoxville.

Theodore Richter, alias "Dutch Theodore," wanted by Wheeling authorities for breaking jail on October 16, was arrested in Knoxville yesterday afternoon by one of the operators of the Perkins detective agency.

Richter was serving a year's sentence for the larceny of a skiff, and was acting as a "trusty" when he escaped. He was located in Allegheny several days ago, but left to join friends in the hill district. He is also wanted in Clarion county, charged with dog stealing. He bears a reputation among the police of being a professional dog thief. He was taken back to Wheeling yesterday afternoon.


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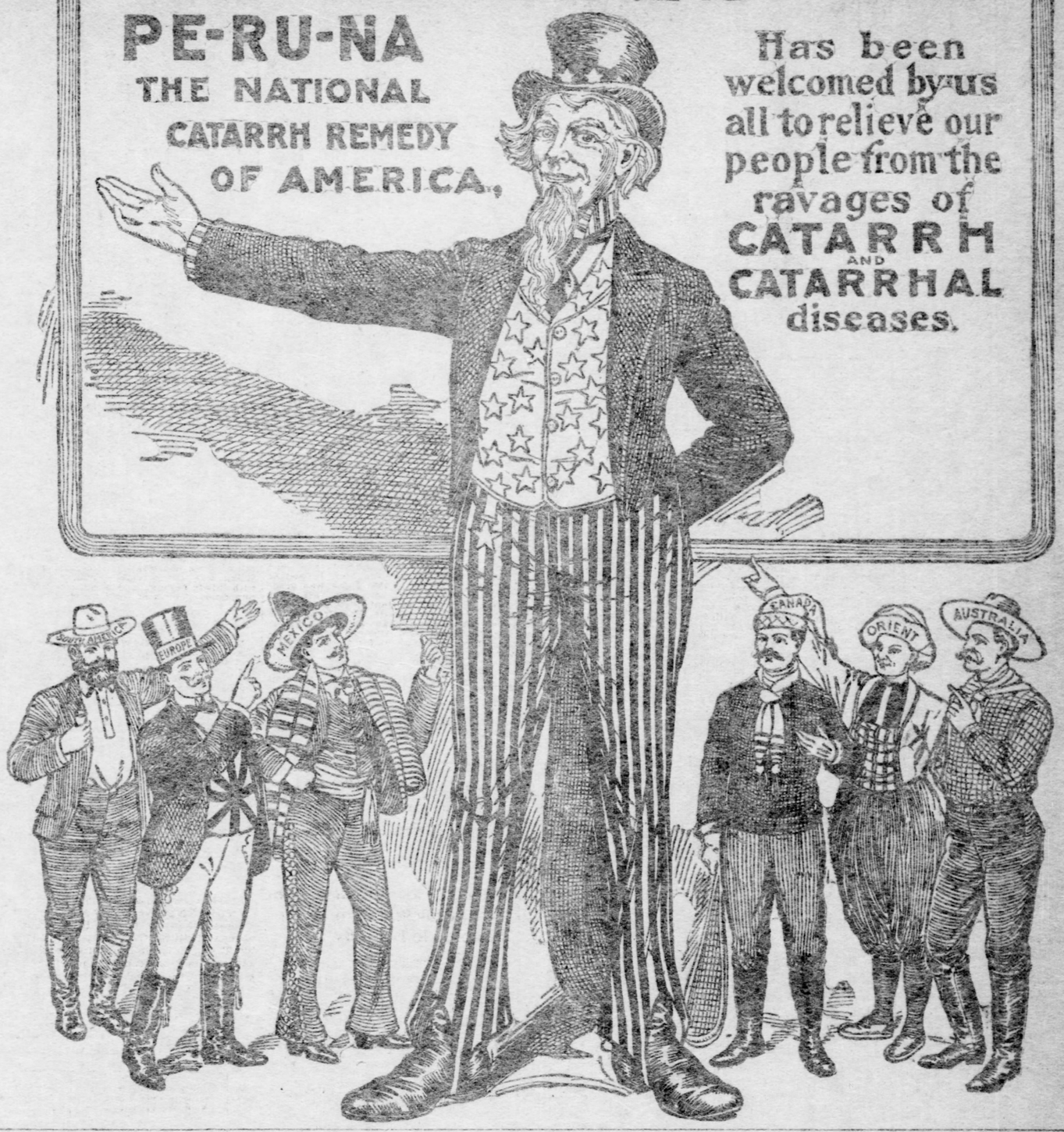




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RAILROADS.

### BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)

| Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts. LINES EAST. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Cumberland Accom. | * 10:00 am | * 10:20 pm |
| Connells. & Mt. Pleasant. | † 6:30 am | †10:00 am |
| Wash., Balt. & N. York. | * 8:00 am | * 7:45 pm |
| Conn'v, Un'tn & Fairm'k. | * 8:00 am | * 7:45 pm |
| West Newton Accom. | † 9:15 am | † 8:00 am |
| Cumb., Wash. & Balt. | * 1:00 pm | * 2:45 pm |
| Conn., Un'tn, Morgan'n. | † 1:25 pm | †10:00 am |
| Connells. & Mt. Pleasant. | † 1:45 pm | † 5:05 pm |
| Connellsville Accom. | * 4:00 pm | † 5:05 pm |
| Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston | † 5:00 pm | †12:50 pm |
| Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited). | * 6:30 pm | * 9:00 am |
| West Newton Accom. | † 6:40 pm | † 1:30 pm |
| Wash., Balt. & Phila. | * 9:00 pm | * 7:15 am |
| LINES WEST VIA WHEELING. | | |
| Columbus & Cincin'i Exp. | 12:05 am | |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. | * 4:30 am | *10:35 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp. | * 8:30 am | * 7:45 am |
| St. Louis Limited. | † 1:30 pm | *11:00 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling. | * 4:35 pm | * 5:45 pm |
| Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac. | * 5:25 pm | * 8:45 am |
| Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp. | * 8:50 pm | * 7:55 pm |
| LINES WEST VIA AKRON. | | |
| Cleve., Akron & Youngst. | * 7:00 am | * 8:35 pm |
| Chicago & Cleveland. | * 4:30 pm | *12:15 pm |
| Chicago Limited. | * 8:05 pm | * 7:40 am |
| (Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.) | | |
| Butler | † 7:00 am | † 8:00 am |
| Butler, Foxburg | † 7:30 am | † 7:25 pm |
| Butler, Foxburg | † 8:15 am | † 5:10 pm |
| But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie. | † 1:15 pm | † 6:35 pm |
| Butler | †10:40 am | * 9:40 am |
| But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie. | † 1:15 pm | † 1:00 pm |
| Ellwood City | † 1:15 pm | † 6:30 am |
| Butler, Clarion & Greenv. | † 3:00 pm | †10:25 am |
| Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle. | † 6:30 pm | † 9:40 am |
| Butler | * 6:15 pm | * 5:10 pm |
| Ellw'd, Foxb'g, N. Castle. | † 6:15 pm | † 9:40 am |
| Butler | *11:30 pm | * 7:25 pm |

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only

### PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R. CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in Effect June 19, 1904.

| CENTRAL TIME. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer". | * 7:00 am | * 9:45 pm |
| Cleveland "Flyer". | * 7:00 am | * 6:30 pm |
| Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail. | * 8:30 am | * 5:10 pm |
| Buffalo and Erie Express. | † 8:30 am | † 7:15 pm |
| Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line | *12:50 pm | * 6:30 am |
| Buffalo and Erie Express. | † 5:00 pm | † 5:45 pm |
| Cleveland and Chicago Ex. | * 2:30 pm | *12:30 pm |
| Boston Special. | † 5:00 pm | * 6:35 am |
| Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer". | * 6:15 pm | *11:15 am |
| Chicago Limited. | * 5:15 pm | * 6:35 pm |
| Buffalo and Cleveland Ex. | *10:30 pm | * 6:35 pm |
| Youngstown Accom. | † 5:30 am | † 8:50 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 6:40 am | † 5:05 am |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 9:00 am | † 9:30 am |
| West Pittsburgh Accom. | †12:10 pm | † 4:15 pm |
| Beaver Falls Accom. | † 3:30 pm | †12:15 am |
| New Castle Express. | † 4:20 pm | † 7:20 am |
| New Castle Express. | † 8:05 pm | † 1:10 pm |
| Beaver Falls Express. | † 5:25 pm | † 6:30 am |
| Brownsville Accom. | † 8:10 am | † 6:45 am |
| Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex. | * 9:50 am | * 8:00 am |
| Mt. Keeseport & Brownsville | †11:20 am | †12:40 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven. | † 3:30 pm | † 4:50 pm |
| Brownsville & N. Haven. | † 5:20 pm | † 5:45 pm |

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Reading and Beechmont, †5:30 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

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| Central Time. | Depart. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| Toledo and St. Louis. | 6:00 am | 7:15 pm |
| Bridgeville and Hickory. | 10:00 am | 1:00 pm |
| St. Louis and Kansas City. | 1:00 pm | 4:00 pm |
| Bridgeville and Steubenville. | 4:30 pm | 7:25 am |
| Chicago and St. Louis. | 7:30 pm | 6:25 am |

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From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

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Philadelphia and New York..... 3.35 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily..... 7.15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily..... 7.15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily..... 7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily..... 8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily..... 12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily..... 12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily, for Baltimore and Washington..... 4.30 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily, for Philadelphia and New York..... 4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily, for Philadelphia and New York..... 7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily..... 9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only..... 10.00 p. m.
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For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m. week days and 4.30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8.20 a. m., 3.25, 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m. and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 8.05 a. m. and 1.05 p. m. week days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.05, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.30 (5.20 to Monongahela City), 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 4.30, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

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|---|---|---|
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| Fort Wayne and Chicago. | * 2.15 am | * 2.15 am |
| Fifth and Toledo. | * 2.15 am | * 5.00 pm |
| Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis. | * 4.50 pm | * 6.00 am |
| Columbus and Cincinnati. | * 4.50 am | * 8.40 pm |
| Cleveland and Bellaire. | † 5.00 am | † 7.25 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | † 8.00 am | † 5.56 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland. | † 8.00 am | † 1.15 pm |
| Alliance and Mansfield. | † 8.00 am | † 5.50 pm |
| Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula. | * 6.30 am | * 8.20 pm |
| Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula. | * 6.50 am | †10.33 pm |
| Ohio Valley Express. | * 8.45 am | * 5.30 pm |
| Salem and Alliance. | * 7.00 am | †10.40 pm |
| Fort Wayne and Chicago. | * 7.00 am | * 8.50 am |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | † 7.30 am | † 4.35 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | † 7.50 am | † 5.56 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City. | † 7.45 am | †10.35 pm |
| Jamestown and New Castle. | † 7.45 am | † 1.20 pm |
| Jamestown and New Castle. | † 7.45 am | * 5.25 pm |
| Ohio Forest City Express. | * 8.00 am | * 8.40 pm |
| Columbus and Cincinnati. | * 8.30 am | * 8.40 pm |
| Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis. | * 8.30 am | * 8.30 pm |
| Youngstown and Niles. | * 8.20 am | * 6.30 pm |
| The Toledo Special. | * 11.50 am | * 8.30 pm |
| Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jam'st'n | †12.25 pm | † 8.50 pm |
| New Castle and Ashtabula. | †12.55 pm | †10.35 am |
| The World's Fair Special. | * 1.00 pm | * 2.15 pm |
| Columbus and Chicago. | * 1.05 pm | * 5.00 pm |
| Cleveland and Bellaire. | † 1.05 pm | † 1.15 pm |
| Alliance and Mansfield. | † 1.05 pm | † 1.00 pm |
| New Castle and Erie. | * 4.30 pm | * 5.20 pm |
| Mercer and Oil City. | * 4.30 pm | * 8.30 pm |
| Youngstown and Niles. | * 4.30 pm | * 6.30 pm |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | * 4.30 pm | * 8.40 am |
| The Cleveland Special. | * 5.00 pm | *11.15 am |
| Wellsville and Bellaire. | † 5.10 pm | † 9.10 am |
| The Chicago Special. | * 6.00 pm | * 7.45 am |
| Columbus and Indianapolis. | * 8.10 pm | * 8.55 am |
| The St. Louis Limited. | * 8.10 pm | * 5.50 am |
| Cleveland, Indianapolis, Louisville. | * 8.15 pm | * 8.00 am |
| The Pennsylvania Limited. | * 8.15 pm | * 8.00 am |
| Toledo and Detroit. | * 8.20 pm | * 8.55 am |
| Beaver Falls and New Castle. | †10.40 pm | † 8.50 pm |
| Alliance and Cleveland. | † 5.25 pm | † 8.40 am |

Leave for Washington, Pa., *6.00 am, 12.50 am, *5.00 am, *8.45 am, 11.30 pm, †3.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.15 pm, 24.00 pm, 12.20 pm, †2.20 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, *8.45 am, *3.50 pm, †11.50 am, †4.50 pm, *8.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *8.45 am, *8.25 am, †4.55 pm, †10.55 pm, †11.55 am.

Leave for Dennison, *8.45 am, *2.20 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, *8.25 pm.

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# WOULD NOT HAVE NAME OF "USONA"

## Government Officials at Washington Declare "America" Is the Correct Title.

## AN UNPOPULAR SUGGESTION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 25.

Not for all the peers in England will this government surrender the name America.

Sir Edward Clarke at the Thanksgiving dinner of the American society in London derided Joseph H. Choate's title "American" ambassador. He declared it was assumption of the domination of the entire Western hemisphere for the United States to call itself America when in fact it possesses less territory in North America than England. As a more appropriate name he suggested "Usona."

Officials here snap their fingers at Sir Edward Clarke's suggestion. They will have none of it. It is not the first time that British distaste for the use of the name America by this government has been heard. When Secretary Hay several months ago instructed all members of the diplomatic service to term themselves "the American ambassador" or the "American minister" instead of the "United States ambassador," etc., much comment was occasioned thereby.

But the right of the use of the name is undeniable according to officials here. It is pointed out that the name adopted by the colonies in the constitution was the "United States of America." Canada is known as the Dominion of Canada. The full name of Mexico is the United States of Mexico; of Colombia, the United States of Colombia; of Venezuela, the United States of Venezuela.

These countries call themselves respectively Mexico, Colombia and Venezuela. The respective adjectives are Mexican, Colombian and Venezuelan. If the Dominion of Canada had termed itself the United Colonies of America it all might have been different, but inasmuch as the full name of this country is the only one containing the word America, the exercise of its use is considered inassailable and in no need of defense, whatever criticism is uttered.

"Usona" is made up of the first letter of the phrase "United States of North America." The name of this country is not the United States of North America. It is the United States of America. Besides, Usona is considered a catch-penny affair, too much like a patent medicine cryptogram.

## GIRL BINDS HERSELF TO HOUSEKEEPING ART

### At End of Seven Years She Will Get $20, a Bible and Two Dresses.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FREEPORT, ILL., Nov. 25.—Grace A. Bolander, a nine-year-old girl, binds herself to serve a seven-year apprenticeship to the housekeeping art, and will take her lessons from Jacob Lauck, according to an unique paper that has been filed with the recorder of Stephenson county. Grace is the daughter of Frank J. and Hattie E. Bolander. All the parties to the agreements are residents of Rock Grove.

In the paper that has been placed on record the girl binds herself to serve in the Lauck household until she is 16 years old. During that time she is to "serve her master faithfully, honestly and industriously, to keep his secrets and obey his command."

The party of the first part agrees to teach the art of housekeeping, to have her instructed in the ground rules of arithmetic, and at the end of her apprenticeship to give her $20, a new Bible and two dresses. Aside from this, the father of the girl is to receive $5 a year for the service of the child.

## TO INCREASE ARMY AND NAVY.

### Germany Will Have Land Force of 621,000 and Eight New War Vessels.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—The Prussian army budget for the coming year is estimated at $116,000,000, an increase of $11,250,000. The Saxon army budget is placed at $11,000,000, an increase of $425,000, and that of Wurtemburg at $5,500,000, an increase of $125,000. With Bavaria's program, the peace strength will be about 621,000, an increase of 15,000.

The naval budget besides two battleships, provides for one armored cruiser, two small cruisers, two gunboats, one of them for river service in the far east, and one mine-laying steamer and $375,000 is asked for submarine experiments. The appropriation totals $59,000,000, of which $17,517,500 is for ship-building. Of the $4,125,000 increase over last year there is only $208,750 increase for ship-building. The remainder is for docks, coast defense, artillery barracks, pensions and miscellaneous expenses.

## RODE IN EXPRESS WAGON.

### Victor Herbert, Could Not Secure a Cab and Climbed in With the Baggage.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Victor Herbert, musical composer, had a novel experience here today when he started for New York after having witnessed a production of "It Happened in Nordland" in this city last evening. He lingered at his hotel until five minutes of train time and then no cab could be found to take him to the station.

As a last resort Mr. Herbert boarded an express wagon loaded with dress suit cases belonging to the company. Max Hirschfeld, the company's director, climbed up beside Mr. Herbert and then a dozen belated chorus girls joined the party, singing songs during the gallop to the depot.

## SUCCEEDS F. T. HYNDMAN.

### A. Kearney Is Made Vice President of the Railway Club.

The Railway club of Pittsburgh last night elected A. Kearney, superintendent of motive power of the Baltimore & Ohio, vice president to succeed F. T. Hyndman, resigned. Mr. Hyndman was formerly master mechanic of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh, but severed his connection with that company a few days ago to accept a similar position with the New Haven & Hartford railroad.

Following the election a paper was read by Paul Swnnestvedt on "Automobile vs. Railway Transportation." The paper recited facts to prove the automobile will never take the place of steam railroads. Several present discussed the points brought out in the article.

### Busy Railroad Crossings.

The committee appointed by the president of the Wilkinsburg council at its last meeting to approach the Pennsylvania railroad in regard to trains blocking the Wood street and South avenue crossings, will visit the railroad officials at the Union station today. During the week a record of the trains and their movements at the crossings has been taken between 6 o'clock a. m. and 8 p. m. On Tuesday 178 trains were noted.

## ACQUITTED ATTENDANTS OF KILLING A PATIENT

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—John J. Conway and Scott M. Hogan, attendants at Dunning asylum, under suspicion of causing the death of Samuel P. Glosser, a patient, were acquitted by the coroner's jury today, who decided Glosser suffered the injuries which resulted in his death while fighting with Alexander Harper, another insane patient.

### Sheriff Is Exonerated.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Nov. 25.—The supreme court has stricken from the records the impeachment proceedings brought against Sheriff Rogers of Madison county, Ala., charged with neglect of duty in allowing the negro, Horace Maples, to be hanged by a mob at Huntsville, Ala.

# DYING GAMBLER SHIELDS ENEMY

## Declares Man Who Spurns His Forgiveness Was Justified in Shooting Him.

## LATTER HELD WITHOUT BAIL

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—"Yes, Frank shot me; but he was justified. I would have done the same to him," was the ante-mortem statement made to the coroner today by Guy Roche, the gambler, who was twice shot in Broadway yesterday and who lies in a hospital probably fatally wounded.

The statement was made in the presence of his alleged assailant, Frank Felton, who looked on, unmoved. After uttering the qualification to the statement of self-defense the dying man added: "Good-by, Frank, old boy, I don't blame you," and holding out his hand asked his former friend to take it. But Felton appeared not to hear the request and without looking in the direction of Roche, turned and was led away for arraignment. Later in the day he was held without bail.

From the moment Roche was taken to the hospital after the sensational shooting in the midst of the holiday crowd on Broadway, the surgeons told him that his case was almost hopeless and joined with the police in pleading with the wounded man to name his assailant, but every request had met with a refusal until today.

To Coroner Scholer the wounded man said he had been drinking heavily yesterday, and that he met Felton in front of the Marlborough hotel. After a few words a quarrel arose. He told Felton he was going to shoot him, and walked away to get a pistol. He returned in a few minutes and, as he approached Felton he put his hand to his hip pocket to draw the weapon he had secured. At this moment Felton drew his revolver and fired. After the officers had entered a cab with Felton today they tried to put him through a third degre inquisition. Suddenly Felton broke his silence.

"Say," he cried, "you have got me wrong. I never shot that man. I never carried a gun in my life."

## LATSHAW AGAIN ARRESTED.

### Officers Believe They Can Convict Him of Complicity in Elliott Robbery Case.

BUTLER, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—County Detective Robert L. Barnes and Constable T. C. Campbell, of Slippery Rock, today arrested Chauncey Latshaw, suspected of complicity in the Elliott robbery. Frederick Pryor, his brother-in-law, was arrested last week.

Constable Campbell arrested Latshaw just after the robbery was committed and took him before the Elliott sisters, who said they felt sure he was one of the men. The commonwealth lacked evidence, necessitating Latshaw's discharge. He at once brought a $5,000 suit against Constable Campbell for false arrest. This suit is now pending. The officers believe they have sufficient evidence to convict.

## ACCUSES WHEELING OFFICIAL.

### Discharged Employe Swears to Alleged Prosecution Made by President of City Water Board.

WHEELING, W. VA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—David W. Martin, a recently discharged engineer at the city water works and a prominent Republican politician, has created a sensation by publishing an affidavit to the effect that President J. R. Butts of the water board, asked him several months ago if there was not a way to break the big supply main, depriving the people of water for several days in order to club council into appropriating money for improvements asked by the board.

Martin says he was discharged from the water works because he wore a button containing a likeness of Cornwall, Democratic candidate for governor.

## CHURCH TITLES COMPLEX.

### Mgr. Ambrose Agius Finds Conflicting Claims as to Ownership of Philippine Property.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Mgr. Ambrose Agius, the new papal delegate to the Philippines, today called upon Secretary Hay and Assistant Secretary Oliver of the war department. In making inquiries about affairs in the Philippines he encountered some complexities which determined him to remain here until the return to Washington of Secretary Taft, who is now in Panama.

Conflicting claims as to the title to buildings on lands purchased by the United States from the Catholic religious orders now constitute an important question. Mgr. Agius is anxious that the courts in the Philippines be given power to fix these titles beyond dispute.

## SUIT BROUGHT OVER CAKE.

### Fulton (W. Va.) Mayor Asserts He Was Refused One He Won Because Republican.

WHEELING, W. VA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Mayor Jacob Hilton of Fulton, instituted a novel suit before a local magistrate today. It grows out of the "Salt river" supper and dance which was given by the Democratic women of Fulton this week and to which all members of the Democratic club and defeated candidates were especially invited. An immense cake was raffled and Hilton drew it.

The women refused to deliver the cake to him because he is a Republican, but refunded the money for his ticket and held another raffle. Hilton brings suit for $20 which he fixes as the value of the cake.

### Pittsburgh Clergymen to Preach.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—The new Presbyterian church at Ligonier recently completed at a cost of over $25,000, will be dedicated on Sunday. In the morning the sermon will be preached by the Rev. David Gregg, D. D., LL. D., president of the Western Theological seminary, Allegheny. In the evening the Rev. Samuel Black McCormick, D. D., LL. D., chancellor of the Western university of Pennsylvania, will preach.

### Radcliffe Found Not Guilty.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—In the case of the commonwealth versus Fred Radcliffe of Charleroi on charges of larceny by employe and embezzlement by consignee and factor, a representative of the Singer Manufacturing Company being the prosecutor, the jury late tonight brought in a verdict of not guilty on either count and placed the costs on the prosecutor.

### Bridgeworker Commits Suicide.

BEAVER FALLS, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Thomas Hazen, a bridge worker died at the boarding house of M. Steinbracher this afternoon from a dose of poison administered by himself several days ago at a hotel. Hazen was 40 years old and belonged to a well-known family in North Sewickley township.

### British Coal Bothers Japan.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Japan in a friendly spirit has drawn the attention of Great Britain to the supply of coal furnished by British vessels to the Russian fleet.

## STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

ALTOONA—After an idleness of nearly 12 years the furnaces at Rockhill, Huntingdon county, are being put into condition for immediate resumption. Coke is now being made and ore is arriving daily.

ALTOONA—Engineers are surveying a line between Noel station, on the Ebensburg branch of the Pennsylvania railroad, to Amsbry, through Loretto. It is supposed the work is for the Pittsburgh, Johnstown, Ebensburg & Eastern railroad, but the engineers are reticent.

ALTOONA—It seems practically established that the cut-off from Mt. Dallas to Hancock, Md., will be constructed by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. Engineers and a purchasing agent have been busy. The line will reduce the distance between Pittsburgh and Baltimore nearly 80 miles.

## WASHINGTON TEACHERS WILL MEET IN DECEMBER

### State Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaeffer and Others on the Program.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 25.—The 24th annual teachers' institute for Washington county will be held December 19-23, inclusive.

Among the instructors will be: Dr. N. C. Schaefer, state superintendent of public instruction; Dr. Lincoln Hully, president of Stetson university, Stetson, Fla.; Dr. Francis Green, professor of elocution and literature of the West Chester Normal school, West Chester; Dr. Rurie N. Roark, a professor in Lexington university, Lexington, Ky., and Dr. Jonathan Rigdon of Danville, Ill., now a student in the university at Rochester, Mass. The music for the institute will be under the direction of Dr. H. R. Palmer of Yankers, N. Y. Among the soloists will be: Mrs. Maude W. McDonald of Columbus, O.; Charles Miller of Washington, Miss Nellie A. Herron of Venetia, Miss Hilda M. Griffiths; Miss Ethel Hallam and Miss Grace Tombaugh of Washington, the Chicago Lady Entertainers of Chicago and the Vorwerck orchestra of Washington. Miss Margaret Acheson of Washington will be pianist and Miss Laura Young of Washington organist. The readers will be Miss Orilla Streator of Washington and Miss Estelle M. Clarke of Chicago. The address of welcome will be delivered by Prof. W. C. McClelland of Washington and Jefferson college and the response for the teachers will be made by Prof. L. F. Lutton of the Claysville public schools.

The programs for the night sessions will be as follows: Monday night, a lecture on "Sunshine and Awkwardness," by Strickland Gilliland of the Baltimore American; Tuesday night, "Roney's Boys," entertainers; Wednesday night, "Sketches in Charcoal," by Dr. Lincoln Hulley; Thursday night, Lorado Taft of Chicago on "A Glimpse of a Sculptor's Studio." Friday night, by the Cleveland Ladies' orchestra of Cleveland, O.

### Verdicts in Murder Cases.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Charles Manilla of Vandergrift heights was found guilty of manslaughter today in having caused the death of Roy Salsgiver, a 20-year-old boy, on Hallowe'en. A recommendation for mercy accompanied the verdict in the case of Joseph Javorski, who was found guilty of murder in the second degree for having killed John Belches at Van Meter, near West Newton.

# ASHAMED OF BEING ROBBED HE ENLISTED IN THE ARMY

## Such Is the Story Told by Stephen Putney, Jr., Whose Wealthy Parents Believed He Had Been Kidnaped for Ransom.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—Garbed in the uniform of a United States soldier, Stephen Putney, Jr., son of a wealthy wholesale shoe dealer of Richmond, Va., was marched to the Hamilton hotel by an officer attached to the Jefferson barracks, after the lad had been missing for over a week, and was supposed to have been kidnaped for ransom.

Before the officer and his relatives Putney told the following story:

"At the fair I met two men who said they represented a certain military school. Through my interest in military work they induced me to accompany them for a walk. We had a drink, and then I lost my memory completely.

"I supposed I was then placed in a train for Kansas City. When we got there we went to a rooming house. They gave me something to drink. I did not remember anything until the next day. When I awoke my acquaintances were gone, and with them about $300 in money I had, and as much in jewelry belonging to my aunt. I was ashamed to admit I was robbed, and decided to enlist in the army.

"To my chagrin, after entering the service I found I was to be sent back to St. Louis. I was placed with a crowd bound for Jefferson barracks and, as I anticipated, I was detected."

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 25.—The police here today stated that Stephen Putney, Jr., enlisted at the United States recruiting station in this city last Monday, giving his age as 21 years. He was assigned to the artillery service, and requested that he be stationed at St. Louis.

## CANDIDATES BEING SLATED.

### Washington County Republicans Already Getting Ready for Primaries in the Spring.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Although it is several months before the spring primaries the Republican organization is slating candidates for the county offices.

For additional law judge, the Hon. J. Frank Taylor is announced with no opposition. For county commissioners it is conceded that J. F. McClay and S. F. Scott will succeed themselves. For treasurer, John C. Morgan of Canonsburg will be given a place on the ticket, and for clerk of courts David G. Williams of McDonald is slated. For register Cyrus Morrow of Donegal township is the choice, and for prothonotary there are two candidates, F. H. Ward of Washington and J. H. Moffitt of Charleroi. Moffitt apparently has the strongest support. W. H. Weaver has withdrawn in favor of Moffitt. The primaries will be held early in June.

## WAITING ON THIS COUNTY.

### Allegheny the Last in the State to Forward Election Returns to Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Nov. 25.—The official count by the state department of the last election is being delayed by the failure of the Allegheny county authorities to forward their returns. The official returns of every county in the state has been received and Secretary Fuller has wired for the Allegheny county returns. He received a telegram this evening saying that they were sent today and it is expected they will reach the department tomorrow, when the count will be completed.

### Baker Killed by Train.

AMBRIDGE, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Charles Colloquis, a Greek baker, was run down by a freight train and instantly killed here today.

## SWIGER ROBBED OF $1,400 BECAUSE HE FEARED BANKS

### Akron Man Shows Roll During Argument. Over $200 Taken from Dunbar Company's Office.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Nov. 25.—Because Levi Swiger, a fireman, did not believe in the safety of banks, he was robbed of $1,400 last night. Swiger, while in a saloon, argued that the only place to safely keep money was in his pocket, and as an example of the insecurity of the banks, he referred to an Akron bank which recently failed. He exhibited his roll, which he had pinned in a side pocket of his coat. He went out of the saloon with two companions and at an early hours this morning the police found him in a hallway in Market street, with his money gone.

DUNBAR, Nov. 25.—A daring robbery occurred today at the office of the Warren Roberts Company, while the employes were at dinner. Robbers broke into the place and stole more than $200. Today was payday. Supt. Myers placed the money in a drawer in the office and went to lunch. When he returned to the office, the robbery was discovered. Several suspicious persons were noticed about the works today.

## BOUGHT MABEL FURNACE.

### W. P. Snyder & Co. Secure Fourth Stack at Sharpsville.

W. P. Snyder & Co. have bought the Mabel furnace at Sharpsville. It was owned jointly by the Perkins and Hanna interests and is the fourth of the seven furnaces at Sharpsville to come into the possession of this firm.

The Mabel furnace has a capacity of about 300 tons a day. It was partially rebuilt last summer and is in excellent condition.

### Two Deaf Mutes Marry.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Miss Annie M. John, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick John of Robinson, was married to Philip Thomas Gittens of Southwest Greensburg by the Rev. S. A. Chaullis of the New Florence Presbyterian church at the bride's home yesterday. Miss Amanda Crawford of Indiana was bridesmaid and Harry John, brother of the bride, was best man. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gittens are deaf mutes and received their education at the institution at Edgewood. They will live in Southwest Greensburg.

## SURVEYING EXTENSION TO ALLEGHENY RIVER

### Susquehanna and Buffalo Engineers at Work—Corps on West Side of Allegheny River.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KITTANNING, PA., Nov. 25.—The Susquehanna & Buffalo railroad, which has a line completed from Buffalo to Sykesville, six miles south of Dubois, is now surveying an extension to the Allegheny river at Kellys station, nine miles south of here. This road has options on all the coal from Sykesville to the river and has purchased hundreds of acres of land on the west side of the Allegheny river from Kellys station and expect to reach Pittsburgh over the Bessemer from a point above Hulton.

A corps of engineers, supposed to be in the employ of the Pennsylvania railroad, is making a survey from Franklin to Freeport on the west side of the Allegheny river. This has revived the rumor that the Pennsylvania intends to build a track on that side of the river, rather than double track the Buffalo and Allegheny valley division from here to Oil City. By taking the west side of the river they will save several miles of distance.

NEW CASTLE, Nov. 25.—President A. G. Yates of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railway Vice President Adrian Iselin, Jr., Chief Engineer J. M. Fliegel and other officials of that railroad, were here yesterday inspecting the new terminal facilities. The road will be the only one to reach the new $1,000,000 plant of the Pennsylvania Portland Cement Company to be built here.

## ROBBERS TORTURE WOMAN AND GRANDDAUGHTER

WILKESBARRE, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Five masked robbers early this morning broke into the house of aged Mrs. Rose Farley at Luzerne and in an effort to find money they believed she had hidden, tortured her and her granddaughter, Annie, in a brutal manner. They obtained $21.50. The police have a good clue.

### Decided Doyle Died of Exposure.

MAHANOY CITY, Nov. 25.—After hearing the result of the autopsy performed on the body of John T. Doyle of Paterson, N. J., by Dr. Joseph H. Klock, a coroner's jury tonight returned a verdict that his death was due to exposure resulting from dissipation. Doyle's half nude corpse was found east of here Sunday morning.


Boys' Scotch wool gloves—in black and fancy mixtures, warm and comfortable—a big assortment of regular 39c and 50c values, choice..... 25c

# KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Men's Scotch wool gloves—in black and fancy mixtures—a special purchase brings us 100 dozen at about half price—regular 75c and $1 values, choice..... 50c

## Men's clothing at fairest prices

A MAN who knows what good clothing should be, wants something more than just to be decently protected from the weather. He wants **style**, that hard-to-seize, intangible something that makes one tailor's work the inspiration of the art sense; and another's—just clothes. The surest way to estimate the value of Kaufmann clothing is to judge the clothing by the handiwork of the finest tailor.

**Worth $10 to $13.50, at 8.50**

THE $8.50 LINE OF MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS is a very strong and a peculiarly good line, when one considers the low price. Values easily range from $10 to $13.50, in fact, you'll pay that much in other stores for no better quality. The suits cover a broad range of fabrics. The coats are cut in the nobby three-button single and double-breasted styles. In overcoats you choose from both rough and smooth materials, in medium and long length. If you want a suit or overcoat that will give you honest service and look well, why, then, select it from our $8.50 line.

**Worth $18 & $20, at 15.00**

$15.00 IS A VERY POPULAR PRICE. A happy medium, so to speak. Not too much for the man of modest means to pay, nor too little for the man with plenty to pay. $15.00 here insures as good quality as $18 and $20 secures elsewhere. We don't hesitate to say that our $15.00 line is our strongest line of men's suits and overcoats. All the season's latest patterns in suitings and overcoatings are embraced. Among the overcoats are included the popular belted-backs. We pride ourselves on the superiority of these garments.

## Men's clothing from $20 to $45

No custom tailor, no matter how good he may be, how advanced in the art of tailoring can produce more perfect fitting clothing than is embraced in this price range. It is a pleasure to us to serve men who are very particular regarding their clothing, for we know that a garment from these lines will meet their highest expectations.

**Trousers**—Men's regular $3 all-wool cassimere, cheviot and worsted trousers for men, in stripes, checks and plain blue and black—today..... 1.98

**Trousers**—Men's regular $4.00 and $4.50 trousers, made of very stylish all-wool worsteds, in stripes and checks, today..... 3.00

## A sextet of boys' clothing specials

**Boys' $2 and $3 suits and overcoats at 1.48**

These are odds and ends of our regular $2 and $3 lines. Embraced are boys' double-breasted suits, of plain and mixed materials; also Norfolk, sailor and Buster Brown suits, of various fabrics, fancy effects, in addition to plain browns, blues and black; the overcoats include the regulation styles, the juvenile styles—in addition to reefers, sizes 2½ to 16 years, choice..... 1.48

BIG BARGAIN IN KNEE PANTS—boys' regular 75c and $1 all-wool cheviot knee pants, made in the very best manner, special for today..... 44c

**Boys' $5 suits and overcoats at 3.00**

These are made of strictly all-wool fabrics, including serge, cheviots, cassimeres, worsteds, etc., the styles in suits are Buster Brown, sailor, double-breasted and Norfolk. Among the overcoats you'll find the extra long all-wool oxford belted back; also the regulation style and the popular reefers, in addition to novelty overcoats. Sizes 2½ to 16 years—special at..... 3.00

SPECIAL RAINCOAT OFFER—the celebrated Sam Peck raincoats in plain and oxford covert cloth, cut in the latest extra long style, sizes 6 to 17 years, well worth $12.00, special at..... 8.50

**Boys' $7.50 and $8.50 suits and overcoats at 5.00**

These represent our finest grades and include in suits single and double-breasted styles, Russian blouse, Buster Brown, etc. The overcoats embrace the new tourist style, the popular belted back with self or velvet collar and the very nobby military coat, sizes 2½ to 16 years, regular prices $7.50 and $8.50—special at..... 5.00

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS—the regular $12 and $15 sorts, suits in single and double-breasted styles, overcoats long and medium length—usual $12 and $15 values, special at..... 7.75

## Clearance of men's underwear

YOU can buy underwear and other men's furnishings for considerably less than usual right now, because we're clearing out certain lines to make room for our holiday stock of men's haberdashery.

Men's 75c underwear, 48c—five cases of men's heavy soft sanitary wool fleeced underwear just taken from our reserve stock room—underwear which will provide warmth and yet not irritate the skin—both shirts and drawers of regular 75c quality, in this clearance sale at.....48c

Men's $1 ribbed wool underwear, 69c—we've too much of our $1.00 ribbed wool underwear, so we've cut the price deeply to reduce our surplus—tight-fitting shirts and drawers in three colorings—best finish and good wearing, all sizes, in this clearance sale at.....69c

Boys' 39c underwear, 24c—five cases fresh new goods, heavy sanitary fleece lined shirts and drawers—soft fleecing—all sizes 24 to 34—a splendid chance to provide the boys with winter underwear—our regular 39c underwear, today.....24c

$1.50 Wright's fleeced underwear, 79c—understand, this is not Dr. Wright's dollar garments, but the regular $1.50 ones—finest soft sanitary wool fleecing—and wool outside—the warmest and most healthful underwear made—all sizes, today only.....79c

Men's $1.50 wool underwear, $1.00—several lines of our regular $1.50 underwear—fine, soft wool shirts and drawers, in both camel's hair and natural colorings—all sizes—in this clearance sale at.....1.00

**Men's $1 shirts, 48c**—spick, span new shirts—probably 150 dozen in all. Must be sold quickly, so the price has been cut in two; made of fine madras, plain and pleated bosoms, cuffs attached or separate, light and dark colorings—all sizes 14 to 17—all regular $1 shirts, Saturday at 48c.

Mr. Dooley's Philosophy
By Finley Peter Dunne
In The Sunday Gazette

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Squaring the Circle
By O. Henry
In The Sunday Gazette

# THE FOOTBALL SEASON WILL WIND UP TODAY

## ARMY AND NAVY READY FOR BATTLE

Both Forces in Pink of Condition to Begin Annual Football Contest Today.

NO ODDS ON THE CADETS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—The Army and Navy football players are here ready for their great game tomorrow, and their followers are coming into the city by every train. Tomorrow morning the battalions of cadets from the two institutions will arrive by noon and the Quaker City will have a regular martial air.

At noon the embryo commanders of Uncle Sam's floating fighting monsters steamed into the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and a few minutes later the young leaders of the land forces detrained at Broad street station. The former proceeded in two busses to the Normandie, where headquarters were established, and the cadet corps marched to the Bellevue-Stratford, where tents were pitched.

Under the command of Capt. P. E. Pierce, the West Point football team arrived at Broad street station at 12:35 o'clock. Those cadets who live in Philadelphia were met by relatives, and there were several happy reunions.

Accompanying the team and its commander were Mrs. Pierce, Capt. R. W. Coe, adjutant of the academy; Lieut. Boyers, the head coach and captain of last year's team; Capt. Cromer, Lieut. Thompson, Prof. Tillman, Assistant Surgeon James W. Van Dusan, Prof. Mrs. and Miss Gordon, Lieut. Foy and a number of other officers and ladies.

In all there were about 50 players and officers. The team is in the pink of condition and fit to put up the battle of their lives.

Both teams practiced on Franklin field this afternoon. The middies were there first; they had scarcely departed before the army lads arrived. Both elevens practiced behind closed gates.

While expressing confidence it is noticeable that there are no odds offered on the army, but $1,500 of navy money was quickly covered by the army advocates at even money.

There is considerable feeling here tonight that the navy is going to give the army a very stiff fight and probably a beating.

The navy players are at the top notch of condition and hope runs very high in their camp. Odds were offered tonight that the middies would score. The teams are expected to line up as follows:

| West Point. | | Annapolis. |
|---|---|---|
| Gillespie | L.E. | Welch |
| Seagraves | L.T. | Farley |
| Mettler | L.G. | Goss |
| Tipton | C. | McClintic |
| Weeks | R.G. | Piersol |
| Doe | R.T. | Chambers |
| Hammond | R.E. | Whiting |
| Garney | Q.B. | Wilcox |
| Hill | L.H. | Bernard |
| Prince | R.H. | Doherty |
| Torney | F.B. | Smith |

### IS HARD ON FOOTBALL.

Supt. Draper Says Present Game Breeds Loafing, Gambling and Drinking, and Is Too Expensive.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.—Prof. Andrew S. Draper, superintendent of public instruction for the state of New York, delivered an address on physical training and athletics in the schools at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Teachers' association here today.

Speaking particularly of football, Prof. Draper declared the game should be saved from its attendant evils. He expressed his belief that the present game encourages brutality rather than open manliness; is too expensive for sport, gathers more money than ought to be under the control of students, breeds loafing, gaming and drinking, and does not make for educated effectiveness and sound living.

### W. & J. MADE MONEY.

Season Is Over and Captain Will Be Elected—Will Retain Seaman.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—With the banquet and promenade following the football game yesterday between Washington and Jefferson and Dickinson colleges the local football season closed. The season just closed is one of the most successful in many respects for years. Financially the association made money on every game. Nine games were played, five being victories, three defeats and one tie. The team scored 174 points to its opponents' 44.

Within the next week the captain for next year's team will be selected. Sutter will probably be elected. Seaman, the coach, with whom the supporters of the team are well pleased, will probably be retained.

### COLLIERS ARE EASY FOR THE CHAMPION STERLINGS

The Sterlings defeated the Colliers in a fast game last night, 35 to 15. Lawry started the scoring a few seconds after the whistle blew for the start of play. The champions took the lead at the start and were never headed. Score:

| Sterlings—35. | | Colliers—15. |
|---|---|---|
| McMahon | R.F. | Thompson |
| Lawry | L.F. | Matz |
| Sutter-Apple | C. | Rimmel |
| Yoedt | R.G. | Miller |
| Roehn-Sutter | L.G. | Heston |

Field goals—Lawry, 3; McMahon, 4; Sutter, 2; Roehn, 2; Yoedt, 2; Apple, Thompson, Heston, 2; Miller, Rimmell, 2. Fouls—Apple, 3; Rimmel.

### OFFICERS AND FRIENDS WILL ATTEND THE GAME IN FORCE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 25—(Special.)—Every army and navy officer who can absent himself from Washington tomorrow will attend the Army-Navy football game at Philadelphia.

Secretary Morton of the navy will attend the game with a small party, consisting of Mrs. Morton, Miss Morton, Mrs. Chaffee of Chicago and Maj. Charles McCawley, U. S. M. C. Before they go to Franklin field to witness the gridiron struggle they will lunch with A. J. Cassatt and Mr. Thayer of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Gen. William Shaw Oliver, acting secretary of war, and a party will leave Washington early tomorrow morning in a private car. They will go directly to Franklin field. Among Gen. Oliver's guests will be Capt. Fournier, military attache of the French embassy. There will be quite a large representation of diplomats at the game, especially of the military and naval attaches.

### Normals Win Final Game.

SLIPPERY ROCK, PA., Nov. 25.—(Special.) Slippery Rock Normal closed its season today by defeating the New Castle High school alumni team 16 to 0. New Castle was strong in individual playing, but was weak on team work. Lineup:

| Slippery Rock—16. | | New Castle—0. |
|---|---|---|
| Wilson | L.E. | Broadbent |
| McDonald | L.T. | Hunter |
| Turner | L.G. | Rodgers |
| Smith | C. | Carothers |
| Douthett | R.G. | Foulke |
| Kiester | R.T. | Horner |
| Aber | R.E. | Ely |
| Hittner | Q.B. | Bowser |
| O. Bingham | L.H. | Griffiths |
| G. Bingham | R.H. | H Hildebrand |
| Martin | F.B. | L. Hildebrand |

### Fairbanks Open With Victory.

The Fairbanks last night opened their season at Bohemian hall by defeating the Y. M. C. A. in an interesting game, 15 to 5. Score:

| Fairbanks—15. | | Y. M. C. A.—5. |
|---|---|---|
| Fincke | R.F. | F. Schwartz |
| Gordon | L.F. | Dengler |
| Miller | C. | W. Schwartz |
| Nieman | R.G. | C. Woelfel |
| Lange | L.G. | L. Woelfel |

Goals from field—Gordon, 4; Miller, 2; Fincke, F. Schwartz. Fouls—Gordon, W. Schwartz, L. Woelfel, 2. Referee—Yoedt. Umpire—Bertges.

### McCormicks Are Easy Winners.

The McCormicks defeated the Lafayettes in an exciting game last night. Score:

| McCormicks—57. | | Lafayettes—9. |
|---|---|---|
| Dorsh | Forward | Townson |
| McManus | Forward | Smith |
| Sibert | Center | Brennen |
| Lockhart | Guard | McGlenn |
| Wardle | Guard | Bard |

Field goals—McManus 11, Lockhart 8, Dorsh 4, Wardle 4, Townson 2, Brennen, Smith. Foul goals—Nardin, Smith. Timekeeper—Jauhn. Referee—Gains.

**Change in Terminals**

**B. R. & P. Ry. to Enter Pittsburgh.**

Commencing with the winter schedule November 27, the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railway passenger trains will arrive and depart from B. & O. passenger depot, Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LEADER OF NEW TEAM.

CAPT. WORCESTER

Of the Allegheny Prep school seven, which played its first game in the Interscholastic Hockey league last night. Worcester played end on the football team.

### DEATHS ON GRIDIRON.

Sport Fata to Thirteen During the Season—Many Serious Injuries Occurred.

Thirteen deaths have resulted from football this season. The casualty list in number is the same as last year, but the number of serious injuries during the season just closed will exceed that of any year since the introduction of the modern college sport. The dead:

Thomas Donnelly, died October 29 at Wilkesbarre, Pa., from internal hemorrhage of the lungs. Elmer Erickson, died October 29 from concussion of the brain at Madison, Wis. Manly F. Gray, killed at Pittsburgh on October 29; skull fractured. Herbert Kuch, died October 24 at Savannah, Ga., of lockjaw. Samuel Hess, died November 20 at Bethlehem, Pa., from injuries received in game at Helleston, Pa., November 19; concussion of the brain. Blaine Hoffman, aged 19, died at Harrisburg, Pa. September 11 from internal injuries. Henry Loding, killed in game at Greenville, Mich., November 5; death resulted from a kick in the head. Ralpt Mathews, aged 17, died October 10 at Bedford, Ind., from injuries received a few days previous. Joseph Massnino, aged 14, died at New Haven, Conn. from injuries received November 12. James Pine, aged 16, of Chicago, killed August 19; head struck the ground and death came in an hour. Charles Schreve, aged 12, of Union City, Pa., killed October 18 at Corry, Pa., by being kicked in the head. William Steedle, aged 17, killed November 19 at Camden, N. J.; tackler threw him heavily and broken neck resulted. James Rowley, aged 17, of Chicago, died November 8 from injuries received at the University High school.

A summary of the injuries follows: Collarbone broken, 24; shoulder dislocated, 21; leg broken, 17; rib broken, 18; nose broken, 16; arm fractured, 11; hand broken, 4; skull fractured, 3; knee dislocated, 4; concussion of spine, 6; internal injuries, 5; concussion of the brain, 4; hip dislocated, 2; foot broken, 3; shoulder broken, 2; ankle broken, 2; unclassified, 154. Total, 296.

### TRAVIS BEAT FOWNES IN THE SECOND ROUND

Oakmont Player Had Scored Victory in First Round—C. B. Fownes Is Playing Well.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Nov. 25.—After winning the tie for a place in the first division this morning, W. C. Fownes, Jr., the well known Oakmont golfer, defeated Paul Waterman in the first round of the match play in the Country club of Lakewood golf tournament, and was put out by Travis in the second round this afternoon.

Travis beat him 7 up and 6 to play. C. B. Fownes, his brother, who was in the second division, fared much better. He was played with A. W. Black, Lakewood, formerly of Pittsburgh, in the first round, and beat him by 4 up and 3 to play. In the second round Mr. Fownes met G. E. Thompson of Allegheny, and beat him by 4 up and 2 to play. Mr. Fownes will meet Harry Suydam, Lakewood, in the semi-final round tomorrow.

T. H. Laughlin, Pittsburgh, who made a good showing yesterday, was put out in the first round of the competition for the first cup. He was beaten by A. W. Rossiter, Oakland. Travis will meet Douglas tomorrow in the semi-final round for the first cup.

The ill success that Travis has encountered since he returned from England is expected to spur him on to greater efforts to retrieve his lost laurels.

### "Iron Man" Was in Distress.

WILMINGTON, DEL., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Jimmy Devine of Philadelphia and Jack McLain, the "Iron Man of Chester," fought a six-round draw before the Wilmington Athletic club tonight, but Devine had a shade the better of the argument. Devine, though outweighed by about 15 pounds, forced the fighting and on three different occasions had McLain on his knees.

### Not Enough Cash for Walsh.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—The bout between Hughey McGovern and Jimmy Walsh of Boston, scheduled to take place at the Industrial Art club tonight, was called off, Walsh refusing to go on on account of the lightness of the house. McGovern was there, stripped for the fray and willing to fulfill his part of the contract.

### New Shortstop for Detroit.

DETROIT, MICH., Nov. 25.—A deal was closed today by Manager Armour, by which the Detroit American League baseball team secured Herman Schaefler, the Milwaukee shortstop, in exchange for Clyde Robinson and a pitcher who will be selected later.

### Local Boxers Will Have Bouts.

On Tuesday evening next a boxing exhibition will be given under the auspices of the Duquesne Lyceum at Zimmerman's hall, Duquesne Heights. Some of the best local boxers are to appear, and some lively bouts may be looked for.

### Junior Kickers Challenged.

The All-American association football team of McKeesport would like to arrange games with all junior teams in Western Pennsylvania. Address Ben Beardmore, 604 Beech street, McKeesport.

### Evans Goes to Fight Bowker.

SCHNECTADY, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Pinkey Evans, the local pugilist, went to New York today and will sail immediately for England to meet Joe Bowker for the world's bantamweight championship.

### Morgan and Mowser Wanted.

Mull Bowser and Frank Morgan, the boxers, are requested to be at this office this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

### COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

Ed. Murphy, the former W. and J. star, made the touchdown for Massillon that beat Akron.

Ralph Nowlan, wing on the East Liberty academy hockey team, is out of the game with a broken knee cap.

The Williamsport High school, by beating the Steelton High school 40 to 0, won the High school championship of Central Pennsylvania.

The choice for captain of next year's Pennsylvania team lies between Torrey, Smith and Reynolds. The election will be held today, and it is probable Torrey will be re-elected.

## AMATEURS TO PLAY FOR BIG HONORS

Sycamores and Crescents Meet Today for the Lightweight Championship.

GAME AT FRIENDSHIP PARK

The lightweight football championship of Western Pennsylvania for amateur teams will be determined this afternoon at Friendship park, when the Sycamores of Allegheny and the Crescents of the East End meet.

Both are undefeated elevens, and each has a large following. Neither team has been defeated this season, the Crescents going through two years without meeting a reverse.

The Sycamores probably show the better record for this year. They have scored 240 points without having one point made against them. Such amateur teams as the Flavelo, Brushton Mohawks, Goehrings, Clippers, Mc-Gunnigle Indians, Madison Tigers, Prowlers and Palaus have been met.

The Crescents have been strengthened lately by Tesh and Reggleman of the East End Lyceum eleven.

The Sycamores will bring an army of their Allegheny rooters across the river to the game, headed by a brass band. The Crescent club members will also march to Friendship park in a body with a band. Each team will have a side of the park for its adherents. The kickoff will take place at 3:15. The lineup will be as follows:

| Sycamores. | | Crescents. |
|---|---|---|
| Eberhardt, 130 | L.E. | Riggleman, 135 |
| Roe, 147 | L.T. | R. Carr, 136 |
| Rimmel, 130 | L.G. | Goodwin, 144 |
| Bentel, 140 | C. | Moeck, 143 |
| Boyle, 140 | R.G. | Langford, 155 |
| Martin, 149 | R.T. | George, 136 |
| McKelvey, 122 | R.E. | Sonick, 130 |
| Feeney, 121 | Q.B. | Tierney, 92 |
| Black, 145 | L.H. | Ringer, 140 |
| Killed, 138 | R.H. | Price, 142 |
| Jenkinson, 150 | F.B. | Tesh, 138 |
| Schaur, 124 | Sub. | H. Carr, 109 |
| Smith, 120 | " | Bynon, 135 |
| Danvers, 145 | " | Scott, 136 |
| Stern, 123 | " | Frazier, 125 |
| Burry, 134 | " | Fellebaum, 130 |
| Demoss, 139 | " | |

### Bird Gets Diamond.

Coach Bird of the Pittsburgh Lyceum football team was presented with a diamond charm last night by the players. Bird left for Cleveland last night and the diamond was presented to him shortly before his departure.

The Lyceum eleven will play the Primrose A. C. of Allegheny this afternoon at Exposition park and then disband for the season. Primrose two weeks ago played Lyceum on the Bluff and was beaten, 6 to 0, but claimed it was not given a square deal by the referee.

### Colonial A. C. Banqueted.

The Colonial A. C. of the East End, after defeating the Brilliant A. C. 30 to 0, was banqueted at the home of Mrs. George Whitesell, 2922 Fourth Negley avenue, last evening. A feature of the evening was the many toasts. A vote of thanks was given Walter Amsler of Cornell, who coached the boys during the past two seasons. The following members of the club were present: R. Straub, H. Barbour, R. Leety, F. Barbour, F. Crawford, R. Epping, E. Robinson, A. Amsler, L. McMahon, C. McIntyre, T. McGhee, F. Hartman and B. Myers.

### JIMMY MICHAEL DEAD.

The Famous Bicycle Rider Expired at Sea from Result of an Old Injury.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—"Jimmy" Michael, the noted Welsh middle-distance bicycle rider, died suddenly last Monday morning on board the French line steamship La Savoie from congestion of the brain. Michael was coming to the United States to race again, and he was accompanied by a number of long-distance riders who are to enter the six-day contest to be held here in December.

Michael complained of being ill on Sunday, saying to the ship's doctor that he was suffering from a very severe headache and nausea. He told Dr. Maire that his illness was due, he thought, to the after effects of a severe fall he received in Berlin two years ago.

Dr. Maire attended the bicycle rider faithfully during the remainder of that day, and by night had succeeded in relieving him of the pain. Michael was able to eat his dinner that evening and, according to the head steward of the ship, was the happiest and brightest member of the party.

He retired early and did not complain of feeling ill. About 3 o'clock Monday morning, his companion, Jean Gougoltz, the French bicyclist, heard Michael struggling violently in his stateroom. Dr. Maire, who was at once called, pronounced Michael's condition to be dangerous. He was in violent delirium until 10 o'clock in the morning, and an hour later died. Dr. Maire said that his death was caused by congestion of the brain, undoubtedly due to a blood clot, which had formed as a result of the accident at Berlin.

The body was brought to New York and was taken charge of by Patrick Powers, who at once sent word to Michael's mother, who lives in Wales. The remains will likely be shipped to his old home.

### BRADDOCK GIRL'S GOAL.

Miss Rose Made the Point That Gave Her Team Championship.

CHAMBERSBURG, PA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Wilson's Freshmen were jubilant today. Yesterday they won the basketball game from the Sophomores 11 to 9 and tied them in the field hockey game. This forenoon they won the second hockey game, giving them the athletic championship. Bearing their captain, Edith Treadaell, a Philadelphia girl, on their shoulders, they marched from the field to the gymnasium, singing songs of victory and shouting, to the discomfiture of their opponents. In the gymnasium Miss Anna M. Pugsley, the dean of the faculty, presented them the championship banner.

Miss Beatrice Rose of Braddock had made the final goal, which gave the Freshmen their victory.

### Olympics to Play South Side.

The league season will open on the South Side tonight when the Olympics of McKeesport play the South Side Champions. The McKeesport team is stronger this year than ever before, having added Lampe and Haas of Allegheny College and McLafferty of Butler to its line-up. Both teams have defeated Manchester this year by four points. Walter East will be with the Champions for the rest of the year.

### Sewickley Breeder's Fine Record.

G. B. Hatton, the well-known White Plymouth Rock breeder of Sewickley, made a record for his Blue ribbon strain of this variety at the Allegheny Fanciers club show, taking the following prizes: Three firsts, ten seconds and one fourth out of six entries, and missing the silver cup for best display of Plymouth Rocks, any color, on account of having less entries than the winner.

### One More Football Victim.

WILMINGTON, DEL., Nov. 25.—Capt. Vernon Gill of the Maryland Agricultural College football team, who is at Delaware hospital suffering from injuries received during a game with Delaware college yesterday, is improving. The physicians say that Gill is suffering from concussion of the brain, but that his skull is not fractured.

### AMONG THE PASSERS.

The Company G team wants games with all good 15 and 16-year-old teams. Address W. E. Pritchard, 4617 Center avenue.

The Newman Reserves will play the Pittsburgh Amateur club tonight, and the Newman five will meet the Homestead Press team on Newman's floor.

Perrysville has open dates and desires to hear from teams for games on Tuesday and Saturday evenings. Address A. Frazier, 1935 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

The Carson Reserve players are to report at Thirty-first and Carson streets Sunday at 2 o'clock. The players are Arthur Judge, Thomas Hayden, George Charles, John Noigot and William Carey.

The Leitheads will meet the Columbus of Homestead tonight at G. A. R. hall, Allentown. The first game will be called at 8 o'clock. The Leitheads would like to hear from Sharpsburg Independents. Address William J. Pugh, 100 South Eighteenth street, city.

The Marquette first team will play the Etna A. C. tonight at the former's hall, Second avenue, Hazelwood. The second team is without a game, and any good junior team calling 51 Homestead, Bell 'phone, between 9 and 12 o'clock, and ask for McGivern, will be accommodated.

## EAST LIBERTY IS RETURNED WINNER

Allegheny Preps Make Strong Showing in School Hockey League.

TWO GOALS ARE SHOT

| STANDING OF THE TEAMS. | Won. | Lost. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shadyside | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| East Liberty | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Pittsburgh High School | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Allegheny Prep | 0 | 1 | .000 |
| Wilkinsburg High School | 0 | 0 | .000 |

NEXT GAME.

Pittsburgh and Wilkinsburg next Tuesday night.

The Allegheny Preparatory school made its debut into the Interscholastic Hockey league last night at Duquesne Garden, by playing the East Liberty academy seven a hard game, but losing, 2 to 0.

The Preps made a very creditable showing, and in more than half of the contest outplayed their opponents. East Liberty scored two goals in the first half, but in the second was unable to break through the Preps' defense.

Had the Preps as much team work or possessed as much knowledge of the game as East Liberty they might have signalized their advent into the league by a victory.

Lyons, Worcester and Cellers, on the forward line, are fast skaters, and they turned loose runs from their part of the ice down to the East Liberty net, but lost goals because of absence of other Prep players on the scene to help them.

East Liberty, too, had practically a new team in the game. Capt. Karl Mueller was the only regular player left over from last year's seven. Carter and Duff being substitutes. Duff last night rushed the puck through the field for long runs, as did Robertson, but no goals resulted from them.

East Liberty shot its goals from scrimmages, one being in the nature of a gift, as the puck was shot out from behind the net by a Prep defense man, and Carter, who was standing in front of the cage, shot it in for the first goal. Robertson brought the rubber down the ice, but it was at least three minutes after that the goal was made.

Just before the half closed Robertson shot from a scrimmage near the net for the second goal.

At the start of the contest Worcester got away with the puck and rushed it up to East Liberty's cage, where it was kept for some time. Duff, however, brought it down, and during the remainder of the period it was rushed up and down.

Cellars, at the start of the second half, rushed the rubber the length of the ice, and after getting through the East Liberty defense, missed his shot for goal.

Duff was sent to the bench for two minutes by Referee Charlie Ahl for tripping, he being the first player penalized in the league this season. The lineup:

| East Liberty—2. | | A. P. S.—0. |
|---|---|---|
| Martin | Goal | Fahenstock |
| Hammer | Point | Walker |
| W. Mueller | Cover Point | Schmidt |
| Carter | Center | Lyons |
| Robertson | Forward | Reiter |
| Duff | Right Wing | Worcester |
| K. Mueller | Left Wing | Cellars |

Goals—Carter, Robertson. Referee—Ahl. Goal judges—McCracken and Babst, Shadyside. Time—Fifteen minute halves.

### UNITY TEAM'S VICTORY.

Took All Three Games from Birmingham—Hazelwood Also Won.

In the City Bowling league last night the Unity bowling team defeated the Birmingham team, winning all three of the games. Capt. Heimbucher of the Unity team rolled high score and had the best average. The scores follow:

| Unity— | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bossler | 143 | 159 | 299 |
| Taylor | 191 | 175 | 172 |
| Pherson | 144 | 176 | 169 |
| Heimbucher | 174 | 157 | 220 |
| McGrath | 201 | 172 | 195 |
| Totals | 853 | 839 | 956 |
| Birmingham— | | | |
| Hirsch | 148 | 160 | 160 |
| Fassold | 123 | 166 | 152 |
| Young | 156 | 126 | |
| Stock | 168 | 186 | 180 |
| Ringloff | 192 | 188 | 170 |
| Yochum | | | 147 |
| Totals | 787 | 826 | 818 |

At Hazelwood last night the Hazelwood bowlers defeated the Bankers team, taking all three games. Corlay of Hazelwood had high score, with 212, and high average, with 185 2-3.

### McCreight to Captain Kiski.

SALTSBURG, PA., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Kiski, which won the football championship this season, expects to organize the same sort of a team in basketball. Good material is not lacking. Besides Uriing, Gordon, Seanor, Davies, Lamaerton and Wilson, all of last year's team, there are McCreight, McGregor, Hicks, Watson and others who are not new at the game. McCreight, who is from Indiana, and was captain of a team for two years, was last week given the same hnor by the Kiski eleven.

### THREE JOCKEYS INJURED IN SPILL ON RACE TRACK

Five Horses Fell in a Bunch at Nashville. One of the Riders Is Likely to Die.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NASHVILLE, TENN., Nov. 25.—Several hard fought finishes added vigor to the sport at Cumberland park today, but the talent was out of line. Only one favorite, Clyde, got the money, the defeat of Korea in the second, proving an especially hard blow to the form players. In the steeplechase it took the judges decision to settle the winner, after Bank Holiday and Russell Sage had fought to the limit, the verdict going to the former by a nose.

Five horses fell in a bunch on the back stretch in the fifth race. Jockey Baird having two ribs broken and being possibly hurt internally. He was removed to a hospital in an unconscious condition. Lannom suffered a broken collar bone, while R. Head was badly shaken up. Minder and Munro escaped unhurt. The trouble started when Travers with Baird up, stumbled and went down, Our Sallie, Hot, Mizzen Mast and Anna Fitzhugh following in an ugly looking mix-up. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Folies Bergeras, 102, Scoville, 1 to 4, won; Good Cheer, 107, Minder, 9 to 2, second; Coruscate, 107, D. Boland, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:13¾.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Whirlpool, 102, D. Boland, 7 to 1, won; Korea, 109, D. Austin, 4 to 5, second; Lamplight, 100, Farm, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:08½.

Third race, maiden steeplechase, short course—Bank Holiday, 150, Pierce, 9 to 2, won; Russell Sage, 134, Ryan, 11 to 1, second; The Pride of Surrey, 136, Miller, 7 to 1, third. Time, 3:07½.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—The Gleam, 100, Minder, 4 to 1, won; McIlvain, 104, Munro, 6 to 1, second; Dameron, 103, D. Austin, even, third. Time, 1:01½.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Imp. Clyde, 94, D. Boland, 5 to 2, won; Heritage, 104, D. Austin, 9 to 2, second; R. Q. Smith, 99, Roach, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:10.

Sixth race, one mile—Watertower, 102, Munro, 7 to 1, won; Ben Volio, 102, D. Boland, 7 to 1, second; Lady Lieb, 85, Cregar, 13 to 1, third. Time, 1:41¼.

### AN EXCITING FINISH.

Preen Beat Favorite Right Under the Wire at Bennings.

BENNINGS, D. C., Nov. 25.—Two favorites finished among the winners at Bennings today. The card was a mediocre one and Travers, Redfern and Tommy Burns evenly divided the riding honors. Preen, an 8-to-1 shot, in a bold bid at the finish of the fifth race, beat out the heavily-played favorite, Oxford, by three-quarters of a length, and equaled the track record of 1:14 2-5. The Highweight handicap for 2-year-olds went to Dazzle, who kept close up to the front most of the way and won from Alforten in a driving finish. Race King, an odds-on favorite, lost the second race to Out of Reach, an outsider. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs, Highweight handicap, 2-year-olds and upward, Columbbia course—Dazzle, 102, Travers, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Alforten, 115, Odom, 2½ to 1 and even, second; Mamie Worth, 121, T. Burns, 16 to 5 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

Second race, 1 mile, Columbia course, for all ages which had not won more than one race in 1904—Out of Reach, 115, T. Burns, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Race King, 110, Odom, 2 to 5 and out, second; Wehsoma, 112, R. Miller, 20 to 1 and 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:43.

Third race, 1 mile and 40 yards, Columbia course, 4-year-olds and upward, non-winners since November 2—Ascension, 104, T. Burns, 1 to 2 and out, won; James F., 104, Shaw, 12 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Irish Witch, 104, Wonderly, 4 to 1 and 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:45.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards, old course, 3-year-olds which had not won $1,050 in 1904—Canteen, 115, Redfern, 3 to 1 and even, won; Hippocrates, 115, Lee, 4 to 1 and even, second; Greencrest, 109, Shaw, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:48.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, Columbia course, 2-year-olds and up, non-winners during the meeting—King Pepper, 102, Travers, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; Robb Murphy, 94, Lee, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Delphie, 89, Goodchild, 8 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:29.

### Superiors Are Outplayed.

The Superiors were defeated last night in a clean and interesting game at Duquesne school hall. Line-up:

| Smoke House—27. | | Superiors—10. |
|---|---|---|
| Hussey | Forward | Neely |
| Bruce | Forward | Patterson |
| Brockett | Center | Kress |
| Wise | Guard | Dodds |
| Keisel | Guard | Meals |

Field goals—Hussey 4, Bruce, Brockett 3, Keisel 2, Patterson 4. Foul goals—Brockett 7, Neely, Dodds. Referee—T. McGowan. Timekeeper—Ed Schmid.

### Notice to Charles Duffy.

Charlie Duffy of last year's Riter-Conley hockey team is to call E. Robinson, captain of the Irving Hockey team, 1150 Court, or 2495-W Highland after 7 p. m. The Irvings will open their season with the Nationals Monday night.

### Duquesne School Team Wins.

The champion Duquesne school team defeated the Sterling Juniors last night 17 to 3.

## STRATEGY OF YOUNG GIRL CAPTURES ALLEGED THIEF

Prisoner Is Charged With Stealing $600 and Jewelry Valued at $1,400 from the House in Which He Was Arrested.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Through the strategy of Miss May Willett, a young girl, who lives with her aunt, Mrs. Lizzie Willett, at No. 151 East Fiftieth street, Detectives Vance and Gallagher of the East Twenty-second stret station, today arrested Frederick Burke, 20 years old, on suspicion of having stolen $600 and $1,400 worth of jewelry from Mrs. Willett's house. Burke responded to a decoy telegram and reached the Willett house when no one was in the place except Miss Willett and a girl friend. The young woman sent her friend to the police station and entertained Burke until the arrival of the police, although her cousin, Harry Doyle, entered the house just a few moments previously, and Burke, who had become nervous, was getting ready to leave the place.

According to the story told by Mrs. Willett four days ago a trunk in a room in the basement of the house was broken open and the money and jewelry taken. The same night Burke and his wife, who boarded in the house, departed, leaving their trunk behind them. The police were notified and Detectives Vance and Gallagher were put on the case. They opened Burke's trunk and in it claim to have found several letters, in one of which was the address, "No. 47 Chester avenue, Newark, N. J." The detectives, believing that to be Burke's home address, sent him a telegram saying that his wife was ill at the Fifteenth street house.

Miss Willett and her friend were in the house alone when Burke rang the doorbell. Knowing that the police were looking for Burke, Miss Willett told him in reply to his question that his wife was in one of the upstairs rooms ill and that he should wait for a few minutes before going up. Then she told her friend to go to the police station. Miss Willett then returned downstairs where Burke was and entertained him until the police arrived. She incidentally locked the door leading to the street, without Burke becoming aware of that fact.

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[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—A story of sickness, hunger and starvation has come to the state department from Mr. Norton, the American consul at Harput, in a report upon the condition of the Sassun population in the Mush district. The consul says of the 10,000 survivors of the recent massacre, few have saved anything but their lives. Nearly every house in the regent was ransacked and burned.

"Worst of all," Mr. Norton says, "their flocks and herds, practically the only source of food, raiment and income, were swept away. These unfortunates, after receiving for a short period an allowance from the government of one cent per capita per diem for subsistence, are now without food and without a prospect of food for the coming winter. The disease usually following upon fright, exposure, exhaustion and insufficient food, are rapidly becoming epidemic, especially among the children.

"Progress has been made in restoring the burned dwellings, so that probably the question of a bare shelter before the advent of winter will be settled in most cases. Sufficient firewood can be also secured without great difficulty.

"There remains the three vital questions of warm clothing, of bedding, of food, for which no provision is made. The situation is practically identical with that of many parts of Macedonia, 12 months ago, although while the number involved is less, the remoteness from the seacoast and the greater severity of the climate, increases the danger of widespread suffering and mortality.

"The helplessness of this mountain folk in their need is heightened by the enforcement of administrative measures, which prevent them from leaving their ruined villages and seeking assistance or work in more favored localities.

"The case is one appealing most strongly to the sympathies of the benevolent. Unless aid is rendered promptly, few may be left to receive it. The region is bare and desolate. Clothing, blankets and food must be brought from outside, before the approaches to the mountains are blocked by snow.

"The only persons within a short distance of the Sassun region, competent to direct any measures of prompt relief, are W. J. Heathcote, Esq., his British majesty's vice consul at Bitlis, and the Rev. R. M. Cole of the same city, missionary of the American-British Christian Foreign Missionary society. Both are familiar with existing conditions and with the facilities for meeting the exigency."

## GOTHAM'S MAYOR VETOES ENDURANCE CONTEST BILL

### Declares Its Professed Aim To Protect Public Health Is Already Taken Care Of By Proper Department.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Mayor McClellan today vetoed the bill recently passed by the board of aldermen forbidding any contest or race of endurance of more than three hours daily. The mayor says the ordinance constitutes an unwarrantable interference with the ordinary exercise of personal rights of citizens.

Aside from the consideration that the bill would entail a large and unnecessary burden to the already overtaxed police and health departments, the mayor adds, it purports to protect public health in matters that are now under the jurisdiction of competent authorities. The ordinance, if approved by the mayor, would have prevented the six-day bicycle race.

## FRANCE FAVORS PEACE.

### Foreign Minister Delcasse Makes Statement—Switzerland Signs Arbitration Treaty With America.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—Foreign Minister Delcasse, answering a question in the chamber of deputies today relative to the proposal of the United States for the reassembling of The Hague peace conference, said the American initiative had received a most sympathetic welcome, the general policy of France being an assurance of a friendly attitude toward the proposition; but definite action awaited an arrangement of the details of the program and the maturing of the sentiment of the chamber and public.

BERNE, Nov. 25.—The Swiss confederation has signed treaties of arbitration with the United States, Great Britain and Italy, and one is to be signed with Sweden and Norway. The treaties are subject to ratification by the federal assembly.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Secretary Hay has received from the German government a cordial note accepting in principle President Roosevelt's suggestion for another conference at The Hague.

As the president's suggestion contained no reference to the time for the second meeting at The Hague, the German government does not commit itself on this point and awaits the pleasure of the other powers.

## REDUCED HER ALIMONY.

### Applied for Larger Allowance Pending Suit for Divorce, but Got Less Amount.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Mrs. Minnie A. Donohue Cary, who is suing Arthur L. Cary, the young yachtsman and Fifth avenue publisher, for absolute divorce, is having hard luck. On the order of a city magistrate Cary has been paying her $22 50 a week. She applied to Justice Clarke in the supreme court for $50 weekly alimony pending the trial of her suit for divorce, and today the justice decided she should have $17 50 a week. So she is $5 a week worse off than before. Justice Clarke said:

"A liberal alimony pending trial seems to tend to delay the trial of a case. Mrs. Carey should bring on the trial speedily and have the case settled. If she does not, a motion to reduce alimony may be made."

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

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| Joseph Firestone | Star Junction |
| Bertha Schwartz | Pittsburgh |
| William Durbin | Bridgeville |
| Gertrude Rueff | Bridgeville |
| James W. Banks | Pittsburgh |
| Elizabeth Chaffin | Pittsburgh |
| John A. Quinn | Youngstown, O. |
| Susie C. Egan | Pittsburgh |
| Clarence H. Jordan | Erie |
| Florence MacQuarrie | Pittsburgh |
| James A. Fricl | Connellsville |
| Margaret Donnelly | Allegheny |
| George Zoiko | Braddock |
| Mary Kohan | Braddock |
| Anton Batlik | Pittsburgh |
| Marcela Frugar | Pittsburgh |

## A MISTAKE IN FIGURES.

Two very vital errors crept into the financial report of the Farmers Deposit Savings bank which appeared in yesterday's issue of this paper. These errors, if uncorrected, would lead to misleading deductions. Hence the correction. In the rush of heavy composition the printer diminished to the extent of nine thousand dollars the sum total of investment securities on hand, which should have been $449,808, and not $440,808 as printed. This same artist, apparently by inadvertence, then attempted to create an asset of $300 in overdrafts, which likewise should not have been. The statement, however, appears in correct form in today's issue.

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Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.
Tickets on sale November 27, 28 and 29; return limit December 5.

Conwell lecture, "The Silver Crown," Tuesday 29. Seats Monday 28, 7:30 a. m., 800 Federal street, Allegheny.

# SOCIETY

MRS. EDWARD HANNA SMALL entertained in a very delightful manner last evening at her home in North Negley avenue, East End. It was a euchre at which the honors were shared by Mrs. James Robert Tindle, sister-in-law of the hostess; Mrs. Tindle's house guest, Miss Althea Mohler of New York city; and Miss Florie Banks of Savannah, Ga., who is visiting Miss Alice Tindle. The affair was very informal and there were just enough guests to require the use of six tables at which six-hand euchre was played. Mrs. Small and her three guests of honor received together preceding the games. Miss Mohler expects to remain with Mrs. Tindle until after the holidays. She was maid of honor at the wedding of her hostess, who will be remembered as Miss Rebekah Page Knox, which took place last month at Valley Forge. Miss Banks will be in the city only until Wednesday.

The prizes last evening, one for each table, were attractive little novelties which Mrs. Small had picked up during her recent visit in New York. The invitations for last evening's entertainment were sent out by telephone shortly after her return last Monday.

Mrs. David Aiken of Amberson avenue, has issued invitations for a card party on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Tindle. Two o'clock is the hour named for the affair. Mrs. Small and her sister, Miss Tindle, will send out cards next week for the reception which they will give at their home on Thursday, December 15, in honor of their sister-in-law. The guests will be received from 3 until 6 o'clock.

### Annual Benefit for Cot Club.

A meeting of the members of the West Penn Hospital Cot club was held yesterday in Rowe's parlors, Penn avenue, East Liberty, and plans were furthered for the annual entertainment for the benefit of the club, which this year will be held December 9 in the Bellefield clubhouse. There will be a Christmas tree and a Santa Claus, to whom the children may send their letters, in the afternoon, together with tea for the ladies, and in the evening a dance for the Cot club members will be held. The club supports a room in the hospital and with the proceeds of this year's entertainment hopes to enlarge the children's ward by taking in one of the large porches. Mrs. W. H. Nermecutt is president of the club; Miss Florence Davis, vice president; Miss Charlotte Jeffries, secretary; Mrs. Charles H. Johnston, treasurer.

### Pittsburgh Man to Wed.

Although there will be few Pittsburghers at the wedding of Miss Jessie Fox and Seymour Stotler Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Preston of St. James street, the event is one of unusual interest to the residents of the city. The marriage will be solemnized Tuesday, December 6, in St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal church, Remington, Va., where the bride lives with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bowman. Only the members of the two families will be present at the home reception following the ceremony at 12:30 o'clock. Miss Fox is a daughter of the late John Fox of Cleveland, on account of whose death the reception will be small. After their wedding trip Mr. Preston and his bride will be at home in Media, Pa.

### Church Clubs Will Debate.

The members of the Oxford club of the South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Wilkinsburg, will hold an open meeting next Monday evening in the chapel, and will have as their guests the Men's league of the Calvary Lutheran church. This meeting is the result of a challenge from the Oxford club to the Men's league to debate. The question selected is "Resolved, That women shall be granted the right of suffrage in the United States," the Oxford club having the affirmative and the Men's league the negative. The Oxford club is one of the most progressive men's church clubs in this vicinity, having a large membership, which is increasing rapidly. Glee and mandolin clubs are now being organized.

### New Brighton Women Meet.

The Women's club of New Brighton met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Myer to study Russian music. A delightful musical program was led by Mrs. F. S. Merrick, who gave a paper descriptive of the subject chosen for the day. The members of the club have decided to send their protest against the Oklahoma bill now before the senate committee, this being done in answer to the petition sent them by the women of Oklahoma. The Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy will shortly deliver a lecture before the club, taking for his subject "The Russian Jew."

### Theater Party and Supper.

Four boxes at the Nixon were occupied last evening by Mr. and Mrs. William Speer Kuhn and their guests, whom they entertained at supper at the Pittsburgh club after the play. The guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander M. Speer, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bissell Speer, in addition to whom the party included Mr. and Mrs. William Booth Trainer, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lawrence Messler and several others of the younger married set. Covers were laid for 24 at the supper.

### Luncheon for Baltimore Girl.

Mrs. W. J. Berryman of McPherson boulevard was hostess at a charming little luncheon of 12 covers yesterday in honor of Miss Katharine Eicholtz of Baltimore, Md. The other guests were Mrs. Thomas Ward, Mrs. Guy McCandless, Mrs. John McFeely, Mrs. Joseph Jones, Mrs. Harry W. Gieffer, Mrs. H. S. Shidle, Mrs. James Hamnett, Mrs. Harry Neely, Mrs. Charles Gist and Mrs. William Moore. Cards followed the luncheon and the prizes were won by Mrs. McCandless and Mrs. Neely.

### Dinner for Bridal Party.

Only the members of the bridal party and of the family were guests at the dinner given by Miss Anne McCullough of Craig street, Bellefield, last evening. The affair was in honor of Miss May Schildecker and a brother of the hostess, Harvey McCullough, who will be married at the bride's home on Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for 16. The favors for the girls were large pink satin bows on which were their names. Cards followed the dinner.

### Escher-McCue.

A pretty wedding took place yesterday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Joseph's Catholic church, George street, Braddock, the bride being Miss Florence Escher, daughter of the late John Escher of Braddock, and the groom James McCue of Braddock. Nuptial high mass was solemnized by the Rev. Peter F. May, the pastor.

### Pittsburghers in the East.

Miss Electa Harper, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Harper's daughter, is visiting school friends in the east. Miss Harper went to Waterbury, Conn., to attend a Thanksgiving dance at St. Margaret's school and was in New Haven for the Yale-Harvard game last Saturday. Judge and Mrs. James Hay Reed are expected home from New York early next week.

### Mother Goose Pantomime.

A "Mother Goose" pantomime was given last evening in Carnegie Music hall, Braddock, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church of that place. About 250 young people and children and many soloists from the various churches of Braddock participated.

### Will Be Married Next Week.

Next Wednesday evening Carrie Ditchemiller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ditchemiller of Penn street, Sharpsburg, and Dr. Daniel G. Christy of Millvale will be married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William Renger, 417 Grant avenue, Millvale.

### Rendered a Cantata.

The cantata, "Joseph," was given in the Trinity Reformed church, Wilkinsburg, last night, with full costume. Thirty-five vocalists took part, under the direction of Prof. W. B. Hampson, the choir master.

### Turkey Supper in Braddock Church.

A reception and turkey supper were given last evening in the dining hall of the Parker Avenue Presbyterian church, Braddock, under the auspices of the Young People's society. Following the supper there was a musicale.

### John H. Preston Married.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Ex-City Treasurer John H. Preston, a wealthy retired business man, has been married in Greencastle, Ind., to Mrs. Elizabeth T. Preston. Mr. and Mrs. Preston will live here.

### Notes of Society.

Miss Jean Provan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Provan of Maple avenue, Allegheny, has just returned from a four months' trip to Scotland. She expects to go back to Scotland shortly for an indefinite stay.

English services in the evening and German services in the morning will be held in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Fortieth street and Howley avenue, tomorrow in celebration of the missionary festival.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association will be held in the college building this morning. All interest now centers in the Viola Allen benefit matinee for the association at the Nixon on December 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ohliger will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding tonight at their home in Sweetbriar street, Mt. Washington. A large number of friends have been invited to assist on the occasion, and dancing will be one of the features of the evening. Mrs. Ohliger is a daughter of Officer Conrad Sill of No. 7 police station.

## MONTANA DESPERADO IS KILLED BY OFFICERS

HELENA, MONT., Nov. 25.—Frank Brady, against whom several charges were pending, has been shot and killed by officers at Rock Creek. Brady was told to surrender, but refused and fired at the officers. The officers returned the fire and at the third shot, Brady cried, "I've got enough, boys," and fell with a bullet in his breast. When the officers reached him he was dead.

### Stood in Water for Hours.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 25.—The steamer Iris sank today near the mouth of this harbor while fighting a strong rising tide. Six passengers and the crew jumped on a sand bar, and after standing waist deep in water for several hours were rescued by a passing steamer.

# WILD BEAR WAS KILLED BY CLEARFIELD SQUIRE

## How High Prices in Turkey Will Not Interfere With Prodigality of Xmas Board.

"Let turkey go to $1 a pound and we'll still have good meat for Christmas dinner," said Squire David Johnson, who came to town yesterday from his hunting cabin up in Lawrence township, Clearfield county. In the squire's baggage was a big bearskin and he spent the day looking for a taxidermist.

"Why, hang it, a good piece of bear steak beats the best turkey ever dished out at your high-toned eating houses hereabouts," declared the squire. He spoke with the confidence of a man who knows and smacked his lips after the manner of a true epicurean philosopher. He stood with his back to the bar at the Rush house and rested his elbows on the top of the mahogany shelf. He soon gathered an attentive audience.

"This isn't the first bear that has been killed in Clearfield camps this fall," he said. "Go down through the green woods along Trout run and you'll find scores of bear traps, and they're not always empty. Deer hunters have found bear tracks everywhere and I allow that bears are so plentiful that they are killing the young fawns. Here's the skin of a carcass that weighed close to 200 pounds. I shot the scamp in the cleared country near the southern corner of Cameron county. He was fooling a path just before dark. I hit him with the first shot, but he ran a good little piece down into the underbrush before I got a chance to plug him again.

"Bear steak for Christmas? All we need in Pennsylvania are a few bear hunters. There are still some left in Clearfield, Cameron and Clinton counties. This fellow was as sweet as white clover honey, and won't he look fine when I get his hide stuffed?"

## BUYS MOST PICTURESQUE PART OF LAKE GEORGE

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 25.—George A. Knapp of Chicago has purchased the Paradise Bay tract on Lake George, consisting of 400 acres of heavily timbered mountain land entirely surrounding the bay, and considered the most picturesque portion of the lake.

### Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Monongahela House—J. B. Nessle, Brownsville; J. S. Langhrey, Dawson; C. S. Simmons, Oil City; F. M. Powers, Youngstown.

Lincoln—W. M. Sandy, Canton; W. M. McCracken, Bradford.

Seventh Avenue—Howard Rice, Wheeling; Peter Cannon, Ebensburg; T. T. Richards, Youngstown.

Colonial—W. W. Sheindan, Youngstown; F. A. Fulton, New Martinsville; M. Butler, Ellwood City; C. W. Howell, Uniontown.

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BY S. S. McCLURE

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Here are some of the sub-headings: Present day anarchy. Reign of law incomplete. Cunning evasions of law. Increase in homicide. The law's delays. Conditions in New York, Pittsburg, the West, Chicago, San Francisco, and the South. A story of negro killing. Comparisons with Russia, England, and other foreign countries. Causes of increase in crime. What are we going to do about it?

Nine Short Stories

Stewart Edward White's "Rawhide," Part II., is a compelling romance of the Southwest. A page in colors by Maxfield Parrish.

James Hopper, the American Kipling, contributes an exquisitely tender and sympathetic sketch of a little French lad to the Christmas McClure's. "A Jumble in Divinities" is a Christmas story that will bring smiles and tears.

Rex E. Beach's most powerful story is "The Toss"—two men fighting famine and blizzard and endless distance in the Arctic Circle. Brawn or brains. Which wins? Pictures in colors by F. E. Schoonover.

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JOHN LA FARGE contributes a splendid article on art. With the masterpieces beautifully reproduced in tints.

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Samuel Hopkins Adams, a new member of the McClure staff, edits "Notes from a Trainer's Book." A dozen animal stories in one. Ten pictures in tints by Oliver Herford.

O. Henry, the author of "Cabbages and Kings," is a rare humorist. His "Ransom of Mack" in the Christmas McClure's is full of funny touches.

Marion Hill's story is "His Journey to the Gates"—the gates of heaven. When scarlet fever enters the home, the theories of the Mother's Club go out. A satire and a touching little story. Ten drawings in color by F. Y. Cory.

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IN the court of common pleas, No 3, No. 782, November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Euclid avenue, from a point 330 feet west of Harrison avenue, to a point 530 feet west of Harrison avenue, Tenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

S. T. M'CLELLAND,
GEO. PULMER,
J. H. DAWSON,
Viewers.

In the court of common pleas, No 3, No. 781, November term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the construction of a public sewer on Perrysville avenue and Gould avenue, from Dunlap avenue to a 10-foot alley, Fifteenth ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

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# NO DOUBT WHATEVER ABOUT FEVER IN CUBA

## Two Definite Cases Known and United States Seeks Protection Against Plague.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—So definite is the character of the reports made to the Marine hospital and public health service that no doubt whatever is entertained that two cases of yellow fever have occurred in Punta de Sal, near Santiago, Cuba, since November 1. One of these was Scott Fuller, an American. The other was an American named Slater. There is no evidence that the Fuller case was introduced from South America, whence come cattle boats to Santiago. Fuller had been in Santiago for a long time. Slater had been there but a few weeks. It is also believed one or two cases of yellow fever developed in Havana were not properly treated.

Extension of the fever is not feared at this time so much as in the future. The fever unquestionably exists. There is slight progress in any kind of sanitation. The federal government throws the responsibility upon the cities and the cities try to throw it on the federal government. If an improvement is not affected, conditions by next summer will be propitious for a rapid extension of the disease. It is against that time that the United States is guarding itself.

HAVANA, Nov. 25.—President Palma has definitely announced that he is not willing to undertake the street cleaning of the eastern cities of Cuba without the authority of congress and without funds for that purpose, but he is urging the matter on the leaders of congress and caucus action is expected. The newspapers here unanimously urge that congress take action in the matter and not furnish a reason for intervention on the part of the United States.

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# CONDITION OF STATE BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES NOVEMBER 21, 1904.

BANK STATEMENTS.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WESTERN SAVINGS AND DEPOSIT BANK

Of Pittsburgh, Pa., No. 531 Smithfield street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

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| Cash on hand | | $ 5,580 22 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 377 93 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 102,534 97 |
| Loans and discounts | | 1,335,196 88 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $10,500 00 | |
| Mortgages | 22,800 00 | |
| | | 33,300 00 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 2,125 00 |
| Overdrafts | | 115 82 |
| Total | | $1,480,030 52 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | 250,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 250,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 18,546 66 |
| Deposits, subject to check | 419,586 04 | |
| Deposits, special | 502,087 22 | |
| Time certificates of deposits | 28,000 00 | |
| Cashiers' checks outstanding | 60 | |
| Due to the commonwealth | 25,000 00 | |
| | | 974,475 86 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 10 00 |
| Total | | $1,483,030 52 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Charles E. Schuetz, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES E. SCHUETZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

JOHN M. PRESCOTT, JR., Notary Public.

My commission expires January 15, 1905.

Correct—Attest:

FRED FICHTEL,
PETER HERMES,
JOHN DIMLING,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE KEYSTONE BANK.

of Pittsburgh, Pa., Nos. 320, 322 and 324 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 35,954 37 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 1,213 42 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 803,811 59 |
| Loans and discounts | | 2,481,906 07 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $21,850 00 | |
| | | 21,850 00 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 824,070 47 |
| Overdrafts | | 373 88 |
| Total | | $4,168,589 40 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 500,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 550,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 254,542 76 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $1,688,905 02 | |
| Deposits, special | 278,329 16 | |
| Demand certificates of deposits | 3,379 10 | |
| Time certificates of deposits | 127,080 14 | |
| Certified checks | 101 67 | |
| | | 2,098,795 09 |
| Cashiers' checks outstanding | | 100,020 24 |
| Due to the commonwealth | | 50,000 00 |
| Due to banks and bankers | | 614,514 31 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 108 00 |
| Total | | $4,168,580 40 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Edw. E. McCoy, a cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. EDW. E. McCOY, A. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

CHAS. V. GRIFFITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

G. M. LAUGHLIN,
WM. WITHEROW,
D. F. COLLINGWOOD,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ALLEGHENY TRUST CO.

of Allegheny, No. 413 Federal street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 66,761 10 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 19,652 54 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 186,304 06 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 676,082 59 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 807,189 65 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 115,714 96 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $417,896 46 | |
| Mortgages | 818,047 25 | |
| | | 1,235,833 69 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 73,220 44 |
| Overdrafts | | 779 40 |
| Total | | $3,261,759 29 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 700,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 150,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 29,508 36 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $1,022,184 49 | |
| Deposits, special | 1,356 747 01 | |
| | | 2,378 931 50 |
| Dividend unpaid | | 34 50 |
| Treasurer's checs outstanding | | 3,484 93 |
| Total | | $3,261,759 29 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $ 28,677 84 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 1,607 42 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Charles Schneider, Treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

E. A. HESS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. B. RODGERS,
J. WALTER HAY,
JOSEPH C. PORTER,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BELLEVUE REALTY SAVINGS & TRUST CO.

Of Bellevue, No. 440 Lincoln avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 15,967 52 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 149 58 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 117,103 89 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 174,611 67 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 37,038 29 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 24,926 82 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $ 33,071 98 | |
| Mortgages | 114,717 00 | |
| | | 147,788 98 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 21,042 28 |
| Overdrafts | | 225 61 |
| Total | | $619,454 68 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $125,000 00 |
| *Surplus fund | | 32,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 12,137 52 |
| Deposits, subject to check | | 198,846 09 |
| Deposits, special | | 251,372 68 |
| Total | | $619,454 69 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Ralph Witherspoon, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RALPH WITHERSPOON, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

L. M. SHAFER, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

GEO. N. PADEN,
WM JENKINSON,
JOSIAH BARRETT,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment for all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE HOMEWOOD PEOPLES BANK,

Of Pittsburgh, No. 800 Homewood avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 9,155 71 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 1,431 21 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 48,618 26 |
| Loans and discounts | | 179,523 88 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Mortgages | $7,547 19 | |
| | | 7,547 19 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 21,215 10 |
| Overdrafts | | 1 17 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 705 00 |
| Total | | $268,494 52 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 50,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 1,250 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 5,092 80 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $117,745 00 | |
| Deposits, special | 78,306 90 | |
| Demand certificates of deposits | 14,870 00 | |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 1,229 22 | |
| | | 212,151 72 |
| Total | | $268,494 52 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, H. F. Linnenbrink, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. F. LINNENBRINK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

W. M. McCLURE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

S. W. VANDERSAAL,
W. H. BICKENBACH,
GEO. F. McLAUGHLIN,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY

of 423 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pa., at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 24,615 24 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 30,003 60 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 31,340 21 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 548,842 48 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 56,668 56 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 94,210 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $108,158 87 | |
| Mortgages | 501,962 92 | |
| | | 610,121 79 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 80,372 49 |
| Overdrafts | | 466 15 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 8,818 98 |
| Total | | $1,574,401 94 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 807,800 00 |
| *Surplus fund | | 65,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 6,052 49 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $346,976 29 | |
| Deposits, special | 84,924 57 | |
| | | 431,500 86 |
| Due to the commonwealth | | 230,000 00 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 72 00 |
| Bills payable | | 25,000 00 |
| Officers' and certified checks outstanding | | 5,576 59 |
| Total | | $1,574,401 94 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | 5,000 00 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 1,629 01 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. P. Howard, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. P. HOWARD, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22d day of November, 1904.

WILLIAM W. POWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CHARLES HOLMES,
JOHN I. SHAW,
J. W. GRIER,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment of all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SOUTH SIDE TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 1210 Carson street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 24,389 60 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 34 20 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 76,280 05 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 182,542 30 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 220,145 00 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 60,971 00 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 94,250 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $144,047 05 | |
| Mortgages | 56,211 53 | |
| | | 200,258 56 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 7,288 00 |
| Overdrafts | | 43 93 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 2,198 15 |
| Total | | $828,470 00 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $300,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 33,913 52 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $274,292 70 | |
| Deposits, special | 208,079 62 | |
| | | 482,342 32 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 35 00 |
| Treasurer's checks | | 12,174 25 |
| Total | | $828,470 09 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $201,619 20 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 7,017 87 |
| Total | | $208,637 07 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, George Kirch, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE KIRCH, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

G. A. KAMMERER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. LARIMER JONES,
F. P. KERR,
WM. H. WEBER,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GUARANTEE TITLE AND TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 232 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 39,201 76 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 186 11 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 314,091 09 |
| | | $ 353,478 96 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 702,403 43 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 532,506 85 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 97,225 00 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 19,180 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $1,089,138 50 | |
| Mortgages | 242,340 00 | |
| | | 1,331,478 50 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 355,509 31 |
| Overdrafts | | 8 81 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 205,700 77 |
| Total | | $3,677,497 88 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $1,000,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 787,500 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 63,004 40 |
| Deposits | | 1,405,213 94 |
| Due to commonwealth | | 220,000 00 |
| Due to banks and bankers | | 187,162 74 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 70 50 |
| Fund reserved for taxes and interest | | 14,546 26 |
| Total | | $3,677,497 88 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $ 24,703 29 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 47,154 66 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Frank L. Phillips, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK L. PHILLIPS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

WALTER MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. M. HASTINGS,
JOHN BINDLEY,
JOHN M. ROBERTS,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ARSENAL BANK,

Of Pittsburgh, No. 4300 Butler street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 14,124 70 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 1,672 90 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 104,365 54 |
| Loans and discounts | | 554,121 48 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stock, bonds, etc. | $56,965 00 | |
| Mortgages | 86,488 20 | |
| | | 143,453 20 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 38,329 26 |
| Total | | $856,067 08 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $100,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 70,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 51,934 11 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $286,071 59 | |
| Deposits, special | 347,718 48 | |
| | | 633,687 07 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | | 301 90 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 144 00 |
| Total | | $856,067 08 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, John Grine, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN GRINE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24d day of November, 1904.

J. W. ENGLAND, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 3, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

P. A. BIER,
EDWARD DAVIDSON, JR.,
R. M. TOTTEN,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FREEHOLD BANK

Of Pittsburgh, No. 317 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Due from banks and bankers | | $ 200,158 58 |
| Loans and discounts | | 2,272,208 03 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $262,945 00 | |
| Mortgages | 34,034 45 | |
| | | 296,979 45 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 1,618 18 |
| Total | | $2,770,959 29 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 200,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 1,000,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 82,824 66 |
| Deposits subject to check | $1,477,754 38 | |
| Time certificates of deposit | 10,000 00 | |
| | | 1,481,754 38 |
| Cashiers' checks outstanding | | 100 00 |
| Due to banks and bankers | | 150 25 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 30 00 |
| Total | | $2,770,959 29 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. Homer C. Stewart, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOMER C. STEWART, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

GEO. D. TINDLE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAS. C. CHAPLIN,
WM. FLINN,
JOSHUA RHODES,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 327-329 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 56,678 86 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 341 50 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 456,807 80 |
| Commercial and other paper purchased | | 253,548 73 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 1,625,143 88 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 260,837 20 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 125,525 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $927,800 00 | |
| Mortgages | 505,836 23 | |
| | | 1,433,636 23 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 361,000 00 |
| Overdrafts | | 55 06 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 19,640 24 |
| Total | | $4,934,012 50 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $1,500,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 1,650,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 183,789 53 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $1,377,195 44 | |
| Deposits, special | 384,980 84 | |
| Due to commonwealth | 100,000 00 | |
| Due to banks and bankers | 74,438 02 | |
| | | 1,936,614 30 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 122 00 |
| Miscellaneous liabilities | | 13,566 67 |
| Total | | $5,634,012 50 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $ 23,400 00 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 32,543 87 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, George D. Edwards, Treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE D. EDWARDS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

DAVID H. THOMAS, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

W. N. TAYLOR,
EARLE R. MARVIN,
JNO. W. HERRON,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COLONIAL TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 317 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 325,047 93 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 6,096 59 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 2,453,349 29 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 2,070,956 36 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 5,231,822 81 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 1,152,324 22 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 46,333 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $7,044,291 45 | |
| Mortgages | 226,730 97 | |
| | | 7,271,022 42 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 849,097 60 |
| Overdrafts | | 1,385 19 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 75,797 54 |
| Total | | $19,404,632 75 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 2,881,445 65 |
| *Surplus fund | | 5,381,462 98 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 366,495 69 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $8,728,085 49 | |
| Deposits, special | 3,984,396 27 | |
| Due to bank and bankers | 2,063,431 60 | |
| Dividends unpaid | 1,126 50 | |
| Treasurer's checks | 90,189 17 | |
| | | 9,855,228 43 |
| Total | | $19,494,632 75 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $ 5,114,138 39 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 97,904 84 |
| Total | | $ 5,182,043 23 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Homer C. Stewart, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOMER C. STEWART, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

GEO. D. TINDLE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. FLINN,
F. A. GRIFFIN,
F. L. ROBBINS,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment of all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GERMANIA SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, No. 426 Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 54,043 17 | |
| Checks and other cash items | 674 63 | |
| Due from banks and bankers | 851,214 62 | |
| | | $ 906,932 42 |
| Loans and discounts | | 4,756,124 99 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $ 508,882 50 | |
| Mortgages | 1,155,374 35 | |
| | | 1,662,256 85 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 845,553 32 |
| Overdrafts | | 74 78 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 13 40 |
| Total | | $7,653,555 57 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 150,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 150,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 283,970 24 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $ 888,508 55 | |
| Deposits, special | 6,291,371 79 | |
| Time certificates of deposits | 88,823 20 | |
| Treasurer's checks outstanding | 1,781 70 | |
| | | 7,070,485 33 |
| Total | | $7,653,556 57 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. E. Niemann, treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. E. NIEMANN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

H. E. SEIBERT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

A. E. SUCCOP,
PETER KEIL,
JAS. C. CHAPLIN,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MT. WASHINGTON SAVINGS AND TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 58 Shiloh street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 4,171 23 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 60,665 98 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 69,292 79 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 3,450 00 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 825 00 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 75,850 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $4,202 20 | |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | 15,108 47 | |
| Overdrafts | 123 45 | |
| Miscellaneous assets | 187 50 | |
| | | $237,186 62 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $125,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 8,470 66 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $86,825 75 | |
| Deposits, special | 13,890 21 | |
| | | 103,715 96 |
| | | $237,186 62 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. W. Hill, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. W. HILL, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

ROBT. J. MACRORY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

DANIEL HILF,
JACOB PFEIL,
JOHN F. MURPHY,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FRANKLIN SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY

of Pittsburgh, Penn avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 23, 1904.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 9,189 26 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 927 70 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 55,854 41 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 160,485 12 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 129,985 00 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 8,800 00 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 39,115 40 |
| Overdrafts | | 79 03 |
| | | $404,865 92 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $192,405 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 38,320 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 3,318 61 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $135,722 55 | |
| Deposits, special | 35,222 76 | |
| | | 170,952 31 |
| | | $404,865 92 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. M. Stoner, Jr., treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. M. STONER, JR., Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

THOS. M'CAFFREY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

GEORGE S. WARD,
M. J. KRUSS,
M. GLUKOFF,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WEST END SAVINGS BANK & TRUST CO.

Of Pittsburgh, corner South Main and Wabash streets, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 15,746 69 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 5,965 59 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 94,959 38 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 249,177 12 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 251,875 00 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 153,250 00 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 35,820 28 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $239,801 56 | |
| Mortgages | 248,823 83 | |
| | | 488,625 83 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 48,268 25 |
| Overdrafts | | 381 22 |
| Total | | $1,343,169 65 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 125,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 200,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 34,391 05 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $284,980 35 | |
| Deposits, special | 693,433 31 | |
| | | 978,413 66 |
| Treasurer's checks | | 5,225 92 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 115 00 |
| Certified checks | | 24 00 |
| Total | | $1,343,169 63 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, H. S. Hershberger, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. S. HERSHBERGER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

JOS. HESS, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 10, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

R. S. HEMUP,
WILLIAM KOSSLER,
MICHAEL DIEBOLD,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE IRON CITY TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, Pa., Penn avenue and Ninth street, of Allegheny county Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 48,089 42 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 58,037 01 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 161,120 43 |
| Due from European banks | | 51,653 00 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 637,148 60 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 1,552,169 27 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 508,007 70 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 124,177 70 |
| Investment securities owned, viz.: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $893,801 56 | |
| Mortgages | 850,715 30 | |
| | | 1,624,516 92 |
| Furniture and fixtures | | 14,400 79 |
| Overdrafts | | 718 04 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 60,284 01 |
| Total | | $4,900,320 24 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital paid in | | $2,000,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 525,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 174,405 83 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $1,659,680 87 | |
| Deposits, special | 262,210 60 | |
| | | 1,921,890 87 |
| Due to the commonwealth | | 100,000 00 |
| Due to banks and bankers | | 5,978 08 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 37 50 |
| Bills payable, foreign drafts | | 134,457 99 |
| Miscellaneous liabilities | | 38,549 16 |
| Total | | $4,900,320 24 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | $ 504,360 00 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 2,748 36 |

Total ..... $ 507,048 36

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Edward Hoopes, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD HOOPES, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

MISS E. M. BLATT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. L. ABBOTT,
CHARLES N. HANNA,
EDW. A. WOODS,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIDELITY TITLE AND TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, Nos. 341 and 343 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 78,842 47 | |
| Checks and other cash items | 12,313 15 | |
| Due from banks and bankers | 1,557,638 26 | |
| | | $ 1,648,793 88 |
| Call loans upon collateral | $8,665,325 04 | |
| Time loans upon collateral | 1,156,010 00 | |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | 111,972 07 | |
| | | 7,933,307 11 |
| Investment securities, owned, viz: | | |
| Stocks, bonds, etc. | $3,434,870 64 | |
| Mortgages | 1,018 194 03 | |
| | | 4,453,064 67 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | $89,106 33 |
| Miscellaneous assets | | 89,202 62 |
| Total | | $13,974,564 66 |
| Capital stock paid in | | $2,000,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 5,000,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 1,427,392 74 |
| | | $ 6,427,392 74 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $5,833,265 79 | |
| Deposits, special | 1,505,209 29 | |
| | | 7,338,464 99 |
| Dividends unpaid | | 9,614 00 |
| Treasurer's checks | | 198,092 33 |
| Total | | $13,974,564 66 |
| Amount of trust funds invested | | 37,092,226 82 |
| Amount of trust funds uninvested | | 347,379 07 |
| Total | | $37,343,605 89 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, E. Willock, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. WILLOCK, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904. W. B. BATES, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JNO. B. JACKSON,
JAS. J. DONNELL,
FRANK SEMPLE,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment for all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE HOME TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 542 Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 21, 1904:

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | | $ 54,480 99 |
| Checks and other cash items | | 393 09 |
| Due from banks and bankers | | 462,576 14 |
| Commercial and other paper owned | | 742,380 10 |
| Call loans upon collateral | | 937,682 82 |
| Time loans upon collateral | | 148,657 48 |
| Loans upon bonds and mortgages | | 2,002 00 |
| Investment securities owned, viz: | | |
| Mortgages | $ 26,754 61 | |
| | | 26,754 61 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures | | 200,963 86 |
| Overdrafts | | 886 28 |
| Interest accrued | | 2,452 99 |
| Total | | $1,998,274 86 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 500,000 00 |
| Surplus fund | | 101,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | | 22,310 09 |
| Deposits, subject to check | $1,102,094 78 | |
| Deposits, special | 106,947 72 | |
| Due to banks and bankers | 165,922 27 | |
| | | 1,374,964 77 |
| Total | | $1,998,274 86 |

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, R. J. Davidson, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. J. DAVIDSON, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of November, 1904.

ALICE E. TRILL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

GEO. W. CRAWFORD,
H. B. BEATTY,
W. L. HURD,
Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PITTSBURGH BANK FOR SAVINGS

Of Pittsburgh, Pa., at close of business November 21, 1904:

ASSETS.

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# ADLER MUST PAY FOR WATER GIRL

Mother Secures Writ of Habeas Corpus on Father to Compel Return of Daughter.

MILLINER WANTS DAMAGES

Frank Bowles of New York won his suit against Henry Adler of Pittsburgh, the jury awarding the plaintiff $1,643. The suit was over a statue of an "Egyptian Water Girl," which Adler purchased in New York, but refused to pay for on its arrival, alleging it was not real bronze and had sustained scratches owing to defective shipment. He refused to accept it. Bowles claimed the statue was in the same condition as when it was purchased. The case attracted considerable attention, as the statue occupied a prominent position between judge and jury during the entire trial.

The petition of Anna George asking for a writ of habeas corpus on her husband, Arthur C. George, was granted to compel him to return to her custody their 9-year-old daughter. In her petition she alleges that her husband deserted her in April and on November 23 went to the Twenty-second ward school and by falsehood induced the child to go with him. She claims the child has been taken from the city and that her husband is a man of immoral character and not fit to have charge of their child.

Margaret Barker, a milliner of Tarentum, filed a suit for $5,000 damages against Josephine Bascourt, alleging defamation of character. She claims that Josephine Bascourt had stated publicly that the plaintiff was posing as a single woman, yet she had heard her introduced in Pittsburgh as a Mrs. Reed.

Elizabeth Sands brings suit for $5,000 damages against Peter Wagner, alleging he has defamed her good name.

R. L. Riggs, the owner of an apartment house in McKeesport, has been sued by the Philadelphia Company to recover $500 for gas alleged to have been used which had not passed through a meter.

Before Judge McClung, at a session of juvenile court, Julia Griffin, aged 14, a runaway from the Home of the Good Shepherd, was returned to that institution. The girl was brought into court on a petition of her father, who lives in Braddock, and was himself charged with desertion of a minor child. The case against Griffin was dismissed at his cost and he was ordered to pay $1 a week toward the support of his daughter. Griffin charged his daughter with running away from home and being unmanageable.

Mathew Lucas of 5121 Dresden alley was adjudged guilty of stealing newspapers from the houses in the vicinity of his home, but on the father's promise to keep him off the streets he was allowed to go home.

Mrs. Theodore Milarsky, whose son, Robert, is in Morganza on a charge of stealing from freight cars, presented a petition asking that her boy be released, as she claims he is not guilty. The request was refused, as the court said the reasons presented were insufficient.

The will of Thomas C. Moore, attorney, who died at his home in Edgewood on November 13, was recorded. The entire estate, the value of which is not given, is left to his wife, Ariana Riddle Moore, and she is appointed executrix.

L. & G. Foust, doing business as the Anola Brick Company, filed a suit against the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, asking $10,000 damages for failure to comply with a contract or agreement to handle their product.

Decrees of divorce were granted in the case of Kate Smith of Allegheny against Charles C. Smith, desertion; Dinah Bell against John Bell, desertion and indignities; Zalda T. Fuller, Pittsburgh, against Clarence Fuller, infidelity.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Aaron C. Reichelder, a laborer, of Warren. He gives his liabilities as $6,100 and his assets as $10.

A like petition was filed by John C. Fiath, a laborer, of Erie. His liabilities are given as $3,472 99, and his assets as $60.

In the United States circuit court a motion for a new trial was filed by the plaintiff in the case of Harry T. Burch against the American Tin Plate Company. Burch sued for $10,000 for the loss of an arm at the South Connellsville plant of the defendant. When his case was called for trial Judge R. W. Archbald, who heard the case, gave binding instructions to the jury to return a verdict for the defendant, and this fact is given as the reason for a new trial.

Executions issued: P. V. Lind, for use, vs. P. Kline and Charles T. Oates, $263 81; Mary K. Wallace vs. Benjamin Probert et al., $1,876 87; Pittsburgh Brewing Company vs. Nicholas Eberhart, $150; Joseph Tomsanyi vs. Paul Suhar and John Abruba, $100.

The Rev. I. D. Lee, former pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. church, has filed a petition asking for a writ of replevin against James G. Wylie and others, acting as trustees of the church, to obtain possession of papers valued at $200 left in his desk in the church study.

## PHI DELTA THETA ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 25.—F. J. R. Mitchell of Evanston, Ill., was this afternoon elected national president of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity. Samuel K. Ruick of Indianapolis, was elected secretary. The following officers were re-elected: J. R. Ballou, Toledo, treasurer; A. M. McCrillis, Providence, R. I., historian; John H. DeWitt, Nashville, Tenn., reporter. Mr. DeWitt will continue as editor of the Scroll.

## CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN SOLD TO UNION PACIFIC

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—The Post says: "The report that the Union Pacific has purchased the Chicago Great Western road was reiterated this afternoon with such circumstantial evidence in its favor that it received general acceptance. It is said the Chicago Great Western will either be wholly absorbed by the Union Pacific or distributed piecemeal among eastern connections of that system."

# Y. M. C. A. BRANCH IS 25 YEARS OLD

Lawrenceville Organization Will Celebrate Silver Anniversary Tomorrow Night.

MANY EVENTS IN CHURCHES

The silver anniversary of the Lawrenceville branch of the Young Men's Christian association will be celebrated tomorrow. Special exercises to commemorate the event will take place tomorrow evening in the Seventh United Presbyterian streets, when several of the neighboring congregations will unite in the services. The anniversary address will be delivered by the Rev. W. W. Hall of the Butler Street Methodist Episcopal church. There will be special music, a number of other addresses and the annual reports of the officers. The branch is free from debt and hopes to secure a home of its own at an early date.

The new chapel of the Homewood Avenue Methodist Episcopal church will be dedicated by Bishop C. C. McCabe tomorrow. Tonight a reception will be tendered the bishop in the church when Presiding Elder James Meachem will deliver the address of greeting. Tomorrow morning the bishop will deliver the dedicatory address. In the afternoon visiting and former pastors will speak and in the evening a song service will be held. The building is of brick with a seating capacity of 300 and was erected at a cost of $15,000.

### World's Temperance Day.

According to an announcement of the Women's Christian Temperance Union tomorrow will be observed as the World's Temperance day. The International Sabbath School lesson is on temperance and pastors and leaders of young people's societies have been asked to arrange appropriate talks.

Thousands of tracts, circulars and pamphlets will be circulated in churches throughout the county tomorrow in the opening of the educational campaign of the Allegheny County Sabbath Observance association. Distribution will, in the main, be by young people's societies. In observance of the occasion a great many pastors have announced sermon topics on the question of Sabbath observance.

A new $10,000 pipe organ, a new pulpit and a new altar will be dedicated tomorrow morning in Voegtly's First United Evangelical Protestant church, Ohio street, Allegheny. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Buettner of Detroit, while the pastor, the Rev. H. K. Mueller, will assist. Special services will also be held afternoon and evening.

A sermon for the poor will be preached in the Church of the Epiphany by Coadjutor Bishop J. F. Regis Canevin tomorrow night. In this connection St. Vincent de Paul society has sent out an appeal for aid.

The Rev. Dr. P. A. Baker, secretary of the Anti-Saloon league, will speak in the Sixth United Presbyterian church, North Highland avenue tomorrow morning.

### Services for Societies.

Several councils of Daughters of Liberty and members of the Jr. Order United American Mechanics and Order of Independent Americans will attend services in the McCandless Avenue Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow evening. Allegheny members of the same organizations will attend services in the evening in the Second Presbyterian church, Allegheny.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead will occupy the pulpit of St. Peter's Episcopal church, Forbes street and Craft avenue, tomorrow morning. He will deliver a sermon and administer the rite of confirmation.

The Rev. Dr. George H. Vibert of Boston will open a temperance campaign tomorrow morning, when he speaks in the Church of God, College avenue and Spahr street. In the afternoon he speaks in the East Liberty Presbyterian church and in the evening in Christ Methodist Episcopal church. Tuesday and Wednesday evenings he will occupy the pulpit of the Pacific Avenue Methodist Episcopal church and Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings the pulpit of the Emory Methodist Episcopal church.

In the Reformed Church of the Ascension, Termon avenue, Allegheny, the Rev. Albert C. Dieffenbach will deliver the fourth of a series of addresses on "Historical and Doctrinal Facts and Their Significance in the Life of Christendom." The special subject will be "The Necessity and Fruits of the Reformation." All questions put by the congregation at the conclusion of the address will be answered.

Bishop C. C. McCabe of Philadelphia will deliver his lecture of "Sunny Side of Life in Libby Prison" in the Homewood Avenue Methodist Episcopal church Monday evening and will address the students of the Western University of Pennsylvania in their chapel on Monday morning.

Advent Sunday, the first of the four Sundays previous to Christmas, will be observed tomorrow by many congregations, particularly those of the Catholic, Episcopal and Lutheran denominations.

### Welsh Wanted Turkey.

J. D. Welsh, who boards at 3 Hanover place, Allegheny, was fined $5 and costs yesterday by Magistrate Harkins on a charge of disorderly conduct. It was alleged Welsh raised a disturbance at his boarding house on Thanksgiving day because no turkey was served for dinner.

# COMPANIES TRY TO QUASH WRIT

First Round in Quo Warranto Proceedigs to Keep Tracks Off Grant Boulevard.

VOTERS' LEAGUE TAKES PART

Judges Collier, Brown and MacFarlane heard the argument yesterday morning in the quo warranto proceedings brought by the Voters' Civic league against the Grant and Liberty Street Railway Company on the motion to quash the application for the writ. The suit was brought to prevent the laying of tracks on Grant boulevard, and names the Grant & Liberty Street Railway Company, the Pittsburgh Railways Company and the Philadelphia Company as respondents.

Attorney James H. Beal of Reed, Smith, Shaw & Beal appeared for the railroad companies and made an argument against the writ. He set up the points that the district attorney, who appears as the relator, is without authority to prosecute; that the court is without jurisdiction; that the application is defective, as it names three corporations and seeks separate judgment as to each, and that the proceedings are at the instance of a private relator who has no authority to bring the matter into court.

Mr. Beal said the suggestions were not specific in naming which of the companies held the franchise over the boulevard. He cited decisions to show the district attorney was not authorized to act for the commonwealth in such a case.

Attorneys A. Leo Weil and George W. Guthrie, representing the league, claimed that members of the Philadelphia Company and of the Pittsburgh Railways Company owned stock in the Grant and Liberty company, while professing no interest in the franchise. They claimed it was nothing more than a dummy corporation; that the Philadelphia Company was the real owner and that franchises and holdings were so transferred and handled that outsiders did not know who the actual owners of railway franchises were.

George W. Guthrie reiterated Mr. Weil's assertion that the district attorney possessed this right under the act of 1850 and cited a number of cases under which this question was raised and the district attorney's power was sustained. The question before the court, said Mr. Guthrie, is the right of the defendants to proceed under the city ordinance to extend their tracks while provision for such extension is not made in the charter of the Grant and Liberty Street Railway Company. He also said that it was perfectly proper to join the three defendants in one action. He said they had common offices and outsiders did not know who held the franchises for the construction of the road on the boulevard. One of the three companies, he said, was proceeding and the charge of corruption in obtaining franchises from councils, he said, was not denied at this time.

Mr. Beal replied briefly to the arguments of the counsel for the league. He said that the object of the proceedings is to prevent the laying of tracks on the boulevard, but other companies had been dragged into the proceedings. He said stockholders were not to be dragged into a proceeding to invalidate the charters of the company in which they hold stock, and for that reason, he said, the Pittsburgh Railways Company and Philadelphia Company should not be joined in these proceedings. He said the other side had not shown a case wherein corporations had been joined in a quo warranto proceeding and he asked the court to quash the proceedings.

The court took the papers and will announce a decision later.

Attorneys S. W. Childs and E. Z. Smith are associated with Attorneys Guthrie and Weil in the case for the Voters' Civic league.

### Notorious Safe-Blower Is Hanged.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Nov. 25.—Frank Duncan, a notorious safe blower who murdered Policeman G. W. Kirkley, was hanged here today.

# WOULD DISFRANCHISE DESERTERS FROM ARMY

Gen. Chaffee Suggests State Legislation to Keep Men in the Service.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Lieut.-Gen. Chaffee, chief of staff of the United States army, in his annual report says in his opinion little new general legislation is needed at this time. He suggests the enactment of state laws disfranchising deserters from the army, adding:

If all states and territories should by law withhold from deserters exercise of the right to vote at national, state and municipal elections, unless the act of desertion be atoned for by lawful discharge, subsequently earned by service, it seems probable that the most healthful remedy practicable would be applied to the evil and that the result would be surprisingly great. The majority of deserters would return to the colors at their own expense and serve out their unexpired enlistment contracts in order to receive a lawful discharge, which would re-establish their civil status.

At present there are something over 1,700 general prisoners at army posts and the post guard houses are "simply crowded to an unsanitary limit." Additional prison facilities on the Indianapolis military reservation are specifically recommended. A number of extracts from the reports of general officers favoring the restoration of the canteen are given. Gen. Chaffee says that the number of men and officers in the artillery corps is insufficient and the plan of organization is not of the best. The pay allowed is said to be inadequate to obtain the men desired for the artillery arm.

## FINDS JUDGE TO BLAME.

Result of the Investigation by the Committee in the Case of Adolf Beck.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The report of the committee of inquiry in the case of Adolf Beck, who for the crimes of William Thomas, alias John Smith, served a term of five years imprisonment in England on charge of obtaining money and jewels from women under false pretenses, places practically the entire blame for the miscarriage of justice upon the judge, Sir Forrest Fulton, who excluded from Beck's trial in 1896 all evidence favorable to the accused and who refused to state a case for the consideration of a higher court.

The committee finds that if the matter could have been brought before a higher court a flaw in the proceedings must have been discovered and the conviction have been quashed, and that if there had been a qualified lawyer in the home office the real nature of the miscarriage would have been so brought to the attention of the permanent under secretary for home affairs, as to compel intervention.

## TUBE CITY SUFFERS BY REASON OF BAD WATER

From the little borough of Port Vue the city of McKeesport may have to get its water supply in the near future. McKeesport water is notoriously bad. A resolution was recently passed in councils providing for 10 wells at a cost of about $5,000, and an effort is being made to have these put down at Fort Vue, across the river from McKeesport. McKeesport spent $50,000 on artesian wells near the Youghiogheny river, but they proved a failure.

### Insurance Men Issue Warning.

The executive committee of the Allegheny county board of fire underwriters has issued a warning to policy holders in relation to the danger of fires from holiday decorations. Attention is called to the fact that under a strict interpretation of conditions the contract will be rendered void by increasing the fire hazard. The board sets forth the danger from the use of draperies, scendry, cotton, greens and other decorations customary to the observance of Christmas.

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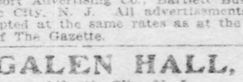


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# Interstate Commerce Commission to Ask Congress for More Power

When congress convenes at the next session it will be asked to pass a bill giving the interstate commerce commission authority over all private car lines engaged in furnishing cars to railroads, and therefore subject to the act to regulate commerce. The commission argues that where a shipper is the owner of a railroad the road should be prohibited from charging more than a fair compensation for delivering its shipments to another road. The commission concedes the right of a railroad to go into court and restrain the commission from putting into effect a wrong order, but insists that the great defect in the interstate commerce law now is that the commission has no power to enforce quick action.

### To Discuss New Bill of Lading.

Notice has been served on the officers of the Commercial exchange of Philadelphia to the effect that the interstate commerce commission will make an investigation of the proposed uniform bill of lading in Chicago on December 6. Representatives of the exchange will attend the hearing and make a fight against its adoption by the railroads. Chairman Frank J. Firth of the uniform bill of lading committee, will appear on behalf of the carriers and explain in detail the conditions and provisions which the Commercial exchange and other commercial organizations allege are onerous. John B. Dalsh of Washington, president of the American Shippers' association, will represent that organization in the investigation. The principal objection to the new bill is that the manifests are intended to be non-negotiable.

### Big Gain in Coal Shipments.

The statement relating to coal and coke originating on the Pennsylvania railroad east of Pittsburgh and Erie for the week ending November 19 shows that there were shipped 97,113 tons of anthracite, 993,750 tons of bituminous coal and 207,725 tons of coke. For the year there have been shipped 3,965,633 tons of anthracite, 23,962,383 tons of bituminous and 7,594,154 tons of coke. This indicates a large increase in the coal business within the past two weeks. A short time ago the production of soft coal was more than 1,000,000 bushels less than that for the same period of last year, and it was feared the decrease could not be made up before the close of the year. With cold weather and better prices the mines are now running full time, and the year's work mayvet show an increase in production.

### Division Through Rates Abolished.

Advices from Chicago state that the executive officials of the western roads have agreed to discontinue their division of the through rates with the so-called industrial roads. The action was taken in deference to the recent findings of the interstate commerce commission that the divisions are excessive and amount to the payment of rebates to the shippers. The railroad officials agreed that they would offer to pay the industrial roads a maximum of $3 50 a car for the delivery of cars brought over the lines of the industrial roads. The interests which will be most severely hit by the new deal are the International Harvester Company and the United States Steel Corporation.

### Discussed Consolidation.

The directors of the Pennsylvania met Wednesday and transacted much business. It was reported again that plans for the consolidation of the Northern Central, the Philadelphia & Erie, the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division and the Western New York & Pennsylvania into a grand division are about to be made. This will make several important changes in the Pennsylvania railroad division.

### Railroad Notes.

The Pennsylvania railroad will place its clerical forces on full working time the first of December.

The Baldwin locomotive works has just received an order for 100 locomotives for the Harriman lines.

The Pennsylvania railroad intends opening the Girard point elevator, which was put out of service some months ago.

Vice President J. J. Turner, General Manager George L. Peck and General Superintendent A. M. Schoyer of the Pennsylvania lines have returned from an inspection of the property in and about Cleveland.

General Manager C. S. Sims of the Baltimore & Ohio announces that beginning next Sunday the track between Bridgeport and Holloway, 30 miles, will be transferred from the Cleveland division to the Wheeling division.

# Mannington District Bids fair to Bring forth Great Gusher

In the new development west of Mannington, Marion county, W. Va., interest in development work is increasing and there is no other district in the state attracting so much attention. Every one interested in developing the territory expects a gusher and there is good reason for thinking so in the light of the present developments.

On the east side of the development D. Isaman & Co.'s No. 3 on the Isaac R. Efaw farm produced 550 barrels the 48 hours ending at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. No. 4 on the same farm has been drilled into the pay and produced 25 barrels at the first flow. The hole has filled up 1,500 feet with fluid and the well is still drilling. It should increase its production. In the same district the South Penn Oil Company's No. 2 on the C. S. Pitzer farm is holding up at 250 barrels and the Delmar Oil Company's No. 1 on the Hays farm at 500 barrels a day.

In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 55 on the L. G. Robinson farm and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid from the Big Injun. In the same district the same company has drilled its second test on the S. J. Kilcoyne farm 115 feet into the Big Injun and has developed nothing but a light gas pressure. It is still drilling and will be put through the Gordon. The same company has drilled its No. 80 on the B. W. Peterson farm into the 50-foot and has developed considerable gas. It has shut down to move back the boiler. The Southern Oil Company & Greenlee's No. 1 on the S. P. McDougal farm is holding up at 80 barrels a day from the Big Injun sand.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the E. T. and J. Williams farm through the Gordon and has a duster. In the same district the same company has drilled its test on the G. H. Davis farm eight feet into the strays and has a light show of oil and gas.

In the Littleton district, the South Penn has shot its No. 1 on the Enix Anderson farm and has increased its production to 60 barrels a day.

In the Yellow creek district, Calhoun county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 5 on the H. I. Jackson farm through the Berea grit and has a producer good for 100 barrels a day. In the same district the Guaranty Oil Company has drilled its No. 6 on the W. W. Knight farm through the same formation and has a 75-barrel producer.

The South Penn Company has drilled its No. 7 on the H. I. Jackson farm into the Maxon sand and has developed a strong gas pressure. The well is spraying black oil from that level at the rate of about 25 barrels a day. It will be drilled to the lower sands and if nothing better is found will be tested in the Maxon formation. The same company's No. 3 on the H. I. Jackson farm is holding up at 125 barrels a day. Leonard, Carr & Gilmore's No. 1 on the Richard-Bush farm is back in the list again, producing 100 barrels a day.

In the Bonds creek district, Ritchie county, Mallory Bros. & Stewart have drilled their No. 3 on the Simonton farm through the Keener and have a show for a 20-barrel producer.

The local fields have little to present of interest to the trade. For the most part the wells are light pumpers or dusters. Two miles southwest of Hickory, Washington county, the Devonian Oil Company has drilled its test on the Reed Lysle farm through all sands and has a duster.

Near Georgetown, Beaver county, the Crown Petroleum Company has drilled in its No. 5 on the F. S. Laughlin farm and has a show for a good producer. In the same district M. Finnegan has drilled in his No. 5 on the Samuel Swearingen farm and has a show for a fair producer. On a part of the same farm S. E. Duff, receiver, has completed a test and will have a producer. Operations in this district show a little improvement. In the same district, the R. M. Ryan Oil Company has completed the rig for a test on the Mrs. M. Wright farm. Glass & Co. have the rig up for a test on the Charles Mackall farm.

On the Ohio side in the Newport district, Washington county, the Empire Oil and Gas Company has drilled its No. 9 on the A. M. Hervey farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. In the Wolf creek district, the Hastings Oil Company and the South Petroleum Company has completed a test on the H. D. Gage farm and has a duster. In the same district Posten & Co. have completed their test on the Joseph Zumbro farm and have a show for a 25-barrel producer in the shallow sand. In the same locality, A. Girard & Co. are drilling a test on the George Rowland farm.

In the upper Homeworth district, in Columbiana county, the Renner-Veibel company has given a test on the William Barker farm a shot and it is reported to have produced 135 barrels the ensuing 24 hours. If as good as reported, this is the best producer that has ever been drilled in the Homeworth field.

In the same district, and one mile northwest of the Lutz producers on the Teeterse farm, Alliance parties have completed a test on the S. F. Fentz farm and have a duster. Much of the work that was started in the Homeworth district some time since has been delayed on account of the scarcity of water.

### Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

| SHIPMENTS | | RUNS. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nov. 23-24.... | 149,212 | Nov. 22-23.... | 171,306 |
| Previously .... | 1,774,155 | Previously .... | 1,520,606 |
| Total ..... | 1,923,388 | Total ..... | 1,691,312 |
| Daily avg..... | 80,140 | Daily avg..... | 73,535 |

LIMA OIL.

| SHIPMENTS | | RUNS. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nov. 23-24.... | 124,353 | Nov. 22-23.... | 146,473 |
| Previously .... | 1,504,616 | Previously .... | 1,292,339 |
| Total ..... | 1,628,949 | Total ..... | 1,438,812 |
| Daily avg..... | 67,873 | Daily avg..... | 62,555 |

### The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 60; Tiona, $1 75; Corning, $1 37; New Castle, $1 47; North Lima, $1 07; South Lima, $1 02; Indiana, $1 00; Somerset, $1 01; Raglan, 60c; Canada, $1 54. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania grade at $1 60.

OIL CITY, Nov. 25.—Credit balances, $1 60; certificates, no bid. Shipments, Pennsylvania oil, 149,113 bbls; average, 80,696 bbls; runs, 177,807 bbls, average, 73,768 bbls; shipments, Lima oil, 124,2-5 bbls; average, 67,875 bbls; runs, 166,472 bbls; average, 68,430 bbls.

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FRANKSTOWN REALTY CO.,
7806 Frankstown ave., East End, city.

FOR SALE.
B-E-L-I-E-V-U-E.
Bayne ave.
Fine residence property of 8 rooms and attic, bath, laundry. In first-class condition. Lot 50x150. Will sacrifice if sold soon.
See W. L. SCOTT CO.,
300 FEDERAL ST.,
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WEST LIBERTY HOME
To be sold—$6,000 brick house of 11 rooms and bathroom; new, modern and complete; on paved street in West Liberty borough; only 10 minutes from Pittsburgh postoffice by new Tunnel line. Terms $1,000 cash, $40 a month for balance.
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311 FOURTH AVE.

AVALON PROPERTY.
FOR SALE—New 8-room house, near car line, all modern conveniences. Price $3,800, small payment down, balance as rent.
J. W. COOK,
511 Smith Block.
'Phones—Bell 1786 Grant; P. & A. 2053 Main.

CRAFTON—For Sale—8-room house, finished attic, 95 Belvedere st., 5 minutes' walk from station; lot 50x240; beautifully situated; $6,000; for terms see owner, 218 Collins ave., E. E. Bell 'phone 1112, Highland.

AVALON HOUSE on easy payments. Telephone owner, Bell 1786 Grant; P. & A. 2053 Main.

### East End Residences.

HOUSE—For sale, $4,000; 7018 Monticello st., Twenty-first ward; house of 8 rooms, bath, cemented cellar, gas, hot and cold water, paved street and sidewalks; lot about 24x120.

$3,800—7009 Monticello st., Twenty-first ward, house of 7 rooms, front and back stairway, porches, cemented cellar, inside closets and barn for 8 horses; water and sewer in barn; also storage room; lot 25x149 to 24-foot alley; street paved; a splendid place for one wishing to keep horses. This is a bargain. See owner, J. K. Wymard, 915 Gerrit st., Twenty-first ward.

OPEN EVENINGS.
We have the best little house in Belmar Park; take Frankstown ave. cars and get off at Sterrett st. and walk to Hermitage st.; you will see our sign. Send your wife out during the daytime and she will bring you out in the evening or on Sunday.

FOR SALE—Brick house of 11 rooms.

REBECCA ST., NEAR BAUM.

Lot 50x135; choice property.
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OPEN EVENINGS.
Come up on Troy Hill, in Allegheny; we have seven of the best small brick houses ever built; we can show you that you will pay less than rent if you live in one of these houses; take Troy Hill cars, get off at Forest st.; come up Sunday or tonight.

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FARM! FARM! FARM!
SPECIAL OPTION PRICE.
$2,500.
Have option price on 56-acre farm near Celia station, Beaver county, B. & O. R. R.; small frame house, timber and coal; it will go quick; only $1,000 cash needed; good land and well fenced.

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Unimproved, one mile from large town and R. R. station; about 17 miles from city; has front of about 800 feet on creek and country road; excellent spring that will furnish water to second story; a fine place for country home; underlaid with 7-foot vein of coal; price only $2,000.

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434 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—A beautiful, level and fertile farm of 107 acres; on main road; four miles from Niles or Warren, O.; church and school near; excellent house of 8 rooms; large barn; in best repair; painted; large stock barn; also good sheep barn; large granary, two corn cribs and all other farm buildings; 10 acres of heavy timber; price $50 per acre; terms, ½ down; send for special description of this farm; also get my printed list of farms. S. W. Wilson, Niles, Ohio.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE.
Near Meadville, on trolley line; 100 acres; good buildings.
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FRUIT AND POULTRY FARM—20 acres, rich land, good new buildings, near station; fruit, shade, water, horse, cow, poultry, implements; price $1,275; terms, $300 cash, balance mortgage; possession. Catalogue free. Clark & Son, Dover, Delaware.

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FOR SALE.
Desirable for Manufacturing or Business.
Lot 72 or more ft. front by 174 ft. to alley; R. R. siding; Liberty, near 39th st.; (1000.)
Also about 2 acres; streets on all sides; Ohio river landing; railroad siding; above high water; Sixth ward, Allegheny. (1001.)
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
25 lots in Elliott borough; will give excellent opportunity to a contractor; no better place at present to build houses.
Elliott goes into the city on January 1. The main street, Lawrence avenue, is all ready to be paved. It has a bright future, only 20 minutes' ride from the city.
For further information see
S. ARNOLD & CO.,
434 Fourth ave.

MT. LEBANON DISTRICT.

If you want to buy or sell a lot in Mt. Lebanon district

Call or write
H. F. NEWTON, 339 Fifth ave., room 4, Traymore ave., Fetterman Plan, Mt. Lebanon.

CLINTON STATION, Ainsworth borough, P., Ft. W.; 45 trains; 14 to 20 minutes schedule to Federal st.; lots $250 to $800. W. T. Nuttall, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

FREE LOTS to advertise N. Y. Seashore suburb; rapid transit, Oceanview. Write for deed one lot. U. V. Realty Corporation, 231 Broadway, N. Y.

### Real Estate—Special.

BE IT KNOWN
That the
ARONSON REALTY CO.,
Real Estate and Investments,
Aronson building,
648 Fifth ave. Cor. Tunnel st.,
MAKE MONEY FOR OTHERS.
WILL MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE.
ALLEGHENY PROPERTY.

Brick house 6 rooms, lot 40x100 feet; incumbered $6,000.

Brick house 8 rooms, bath and laundry; lot 20x100 feet; no incumbrance.

Brick house 8 rooms, 2 attic rooms, bath and laundry; lot 20x160 feet; no incumbrance.

FOR PARTICULARS SEE
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### Mortgage Loans.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city or suburbs.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

MONEY TO LOAN at 5 and 6 per cent; any amount; property appraised at once. ELDERKIN-STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

BARRELS OF CHEAP MONEY TO LOAN. JOHN K. EWING & CO., 248 FOURTH AVE.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. box 863.

$50,000 TO LOAN—5 and 6 per cent; mortgages and collaterals. P. O. Box 1705.

### Business Opportunities.

—CENTRAL REALTY CO.—
422 FEDERAL STREET, ALLEGHENY, PA.
(ROOM 305.)

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE—We consider this Allegheny store the best small store we have on our list; good stock and fixtures; no old goods; doing a business of $65 per week; rent of store and two living rooms, $14 per month. If you desire to invest in a good-paying store call and investigate this. PRICE, $325.

RESTAURANT—Central location in Allegheny; large room, first-class stock and equipments; doing a business of $40 per day; will sell to a prompt buyer for.....$1,000

GROCERY STORE—Located in the East End; first-class stock and fixtures; rent of store and five living rooms, $40 per month; doing a good business; will sell at invoice; ask nothing for good will. If you want a bargain look this up.

CONFECTIONERY AND NOTION STORE—Located in Manchester; first-class stock and fixtures; rent of store and three good living rooms, $18 per month; doing a business of $65 to $80 per week.....PRICE, $500

ROOMING HOUSE—Located on North ave., Allegheny; 15 rooms, furnished complete; filled with good-paying roomers. This is the best location in the city. If you want a good-paying rooming house, investigate this. PRICE, $650.

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CENTRAL REALTY CO.,
422 FEDERAL STREET, ALLEGHENY.
(ROOM 305.)

BUTCHER SHOP—Attractive stand, Center ave., city; very cheap rent; netting $100 per month; strictly cash business. Price $350, including stock, cooler, scales, etc. A great bargain.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY—One of the best stands in E. E. district; present sales run over 1,000 loaves bread per day; good trade in all lines; expenses small; complete and expensive equipment; will bear strict investigation. Price, $3,500. Look it up.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE—Only stand in first-class business section of city; fine large room; first-class equipment; nice trade; doing strictly cash business; will sell at invoice, about $1,150.

RESTAURANT—Only stand in good business section of the city; present owner has been there for 6 years; has place equipped completely, including furnishment of 10 rooms; receipts run over $70 per day; can double sales by opening at night; price only $2,450. Look this up quickly.
MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
336 Fourth ave. 616 Times Bldg.
HOTEL of 11 rooms, completely furnished; first-class mahogany fixtures; stock of liquors on hand of $400; in a first-class business location, 55 miles from Pittsburgh; doing a good business; 8-year lease and as nice a place as a man could step into. This is the cheapest hotel that we have had to offer this season. Write us and we will be pleased to give you information. Place is actually worth $5,000 and can be bought for $2,500 at a quick sale.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
336 Fourth ave. 616 Times Bldg.
$500.00. $500.00.
BUTTER, EGGS AND GROCERIES.
BUTLER ST. DISTRICT. Here is a bargain in a small business, this price includes stock and fixtures. Present owner is doing a business of nearly $600 per month. Reasonable rent. Said price is for a short time only—act quick.
PENN REALTY COMPANY,
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WHY LOSE YOUR BUSINESS?
WE ARE THE ONLY CASH BUYERS IN PITTSBURGH.
WE BUY STORES OF ANY DESCRIPTION.
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FOR SALE—A well-established grocery and notion store, together with a two-story brick storeroom and five-room frame dwelling, located in a good business country town; reasons, poor health. Address Y 224, The Gazette.

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JOHN R. CAVANAGH & CO.,
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Buy and sell all kinds of business everywhere; will organize your business into a corporation or a stock company and sell your stock; we guarantee stocks and bonds; secure partners for established business; we furnish additional capital to extend business; no schemes entertained. Correspondence solicited; all our transactions are strictly confidential.

STORE—Centrally located in city; doing business of about $30 per day; rent cheap; good lease; price $1,000.
F. G. CAWLEY, MGR.,
608-609 Keystone Bldg., 324 Fourth ave.

WE AIM to sell only first-class business propositions. See us before buying or selling.
MILLS-SLAUGHENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

CANDY, cigar and tobacco store, together with full line of toys and school supplies; very desirable location, opposite Bellefield school, corner Boquet and Fifth ave.

ROOMING HOUSE—Nine rooms, two bathrooms; well furnished throughout; near parks, Allegheny; will sell reasonable. Address E 99, The Gazette.

FOR LEASE—First-class bakery, with good trade; can be increased; will make good terms to first-class baker. Address P 138, The Gazette.

IF you want to buy, sell or exchange any kind of business see Central Realty Co., 422 Federal st., Allegheny.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

### Machinery.

1 3½, 1 13, 1 15 H. P. "Brighton" gas engine.
1 3½, Baruth Bros.; 1 2 H. P. Otto gas engine.
1 700, 1 400 A. C., 1,100 V. Westinghouse dynamo.
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All the above in good order.
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New engines from 3½ to 600 H. P. All kinds of machine work. Gas engine experts to do repair work.
EMPIRE MACHINE WORKS,
Office 311 Empire bldg. Factory 210 Third ave. Pittsburgh, Pa.

WE SELL ENGINES AND BOILERS
For any purpose. All sizes from 2 h. p. up. Here are some of our bargains:
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One 25 h. p. Columbus gas engine.
One 60-inch cupola blower.
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We sell the famous Fairbanks, Morse & Co. gas engines.
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105 Water st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BUILDINGS.
1 34'x80', with crane runway and lean-to.
1 70'x120', 24' high to square.
1 70'x180, 24' high to square.
1 70'x240, 24' high to square.
1 73'x120, 20° high to square.
1 20° 45', 29'-6 high to square.
Also Boilers, Engines, Pumps, Heaters and Electric Equipment.
Both 'Phones.
WICKES BROTHERS,
45th st. and A. V. Ry.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock, shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

GAS ENGINES; SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS. WOOD WORKING MACHINERY. PULLEYS, HANGERS, SHAFTING, BELTING, ETC.
GENERAL MACHINE WORK.
BRIGGS MACHINERY CO., 238 Second ave.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies. B. D. REED, 26 E. Jacock st., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Gas engines, gasoline; complete gasoline yachts; vertical and horizontal, all sizes. Pumping engines, all purposes, 1-6 H. P. F. & M., 1-10 H. P. Clark.
315—THE FAIRBANKS CO.—318 Second ave.

### Horses and Vehicles.

HORSES.
Elmer Johnson of Decatur, Indiana, will be here on Monday with a carload of fresh horses, consisting of draught and general purpose horses. If you are in the market for anything be here at our regular Monday's AUCTION. PRIVATE SALES DAILY.
RIVERSIDE SALES STABLES,
North End Sixth St. Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

HORSES.
At OUR REGULAR MONDAY'S SALE WE WILL SELL A NUMBER OF MATCHED TEAMS OF HEAVY DRAUGHT HORSES. THIS IS AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE A GOOD TEAM CHEAP.
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North End Sixth St. Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

HORSES—SPECIAL.
Messrs. BOWMAN & KING of the Great Indiana Horse Co. will have a large consignment of horses at our regular Monday's Auction. The reputation of this firm is a sufficient guarantee of the class of horses they sell.
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North End Sixth St. Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

HORSES
At OUR NEXT REGULAR MONDAY'S AUCTION SALE, we will sell quite a number of BRONCHO PONIES.
RIVERSIDE SALES STABLES,
North End Sixth St. Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

HORSES wanted for OUR REGULAR MONDAY'S AUCTION. Anyone having anything to dispose of can find ready sale here. Commission $2 on all class of horses.
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North End Sixth St. Bridge,
Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Fine large coach team, jet black geldings, half-brothers; well mated, 5 years old, 16 hands high, weight about 1,500 lbs. each; not a blemish. Geo. M. Gilbert, Ashland, O.

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SPECIAL BARGAINS

100 TRIAL and shopworn SEWING MACHINES, ALL MAKES, must be disposed of in short time to make room for our NEW stock of SEWING MACHINES. REGARDLESS OF PRICE.
CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 SIXTH ST. Next Bijou THEATER.

### Musical Instruments.

PIANO—For Sale, upright piano for $115; this piano was sold by a Pittsburgh dealer a year ago for $400. Don't you see the bargain? Henry Braun, 500-502, second floor, Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

REGINA MUSIC BOXES for sale; $75 ones for $30, $250 ones for $75 and $160; $350 ones for $150. Henry Braun, 500-502, Second Floor, Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

### Oil Production.

OIL wells for sale. 6 wells, 15 barrels; eight years old; Sistersville production, for $15,000. T. W. Larsen & Co., Sistersville, W. Va.

### Automobiles.

AUCTION of automobiles every Saturday at 1 p. m., private sale daily. Atlas Automobile Co., 6235 Penn ave., Pittsburgh.

### Safes.

PITTSBURGH SAFE COMPANY,
321 THIRD AVE.

### Miscellaneous.

PITTSBURGH smoke and soot make painting necessary to keep places handsome and neat. Merchants of other cities are glad to meet such an outlay and do business here. All kinds of painting done promptly and well by
P. J. BYRNE, Painter,
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Both telephones.

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FOR SALE—Billiard tables, new and second-hand. We lead the world in cheap bar fixtures. Easy payments. Brunswick-Balke-Collender, 100 Smithfield st.

FOR SALE—Entire furnishment of large house, beds, carpets, table, folding bed, piano, gas stoves. 629 Smithfield st.

## FOR SALE.

### Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Fresh young cow; give age, breed and price. S. Hamilton, North Highland ave., near the park.

SAFES—Bought, sold and exchanged. W. Prager, 110 Market st.

### DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between John M. Scheider and H. E. Nickum, under the firm name of Nickum & Scheider, at No. 331 Fourth ave., room No. 310, Fitzsimons building, Pittsburgh, Pa., has this day been dissolved by the mutual consent of both parties, said John M. Scheider retiring. Said H. E. Nickum will continue the business at the same place, and all debts owing by the said firm will be paid by the said H. E. Nickum, and all debts owing to should be paid to the said H. E. Nickum.
H. E. NISKUM,
JOHN M. SCHEIDER,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 25, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of Heineman & Reed, grocers, 320 Ward st., has been dissolved by mutual consent, H. C. Heineman retiring. The business of the firm will be continued by R. E. Reed, who assumes all accounts.
H. C. HEINEMAN.

## PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 604 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes street.

CRACKERJACK values in men's pants at $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3. Abrams, 964 Liberty st.

SPECIAL VALUES in men's suits and overcoats, at $7.50, $10, $12. Abrams, 964 Liberty st. Open evenings.

MEN'S furnishing goods at popular prices. Abrams, 964 Liberty st.

ALL the latest styles in soft and stiff hats, at $1.98. Abrams, 964 Liberty st.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

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ADDITIONAL CAPITAL SUPPLIED.
LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES FINANCED.
STOCKS AND BONDS UNDERWRITTEN AND GUARANTEED.
WE ASSIST CORPORATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS IN PROCURING CAPITAL IF THE PROPOSITION IS BASED ON CONSERVATIVE LINES.
WE EXTEND TO OUR CLIENTS THE BENEFITS OF OUR CONNECTIONS IN THE DIFFERENT FINANCIAL CENTERS.
WE ADVERTISE AND PLACE THEIR SECURITIES ON SALE IN ALL OUR OFFICES.
CORPORATION FINANCE COMPANY,
400 GRANT ST., PITTSBURGH, PA.

BONDS FOR SALE—$50,000 first mortgage 6 per cent coal bonds at par; mine is going and all of the output sold railroad company; principals only. Address Finance, M 179, The Gazette.

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STENOGRAPHERS seeking greater proficiency, with increased salary, should enter our advanced speed class Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, personally conducted by Marshall H. Reno, for nearly 20 years engaged in reporting officially in the Allegheny county and United States courts. Specialty: High speed and phrase writing.
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THE MARTIN SCHOOL,
Liberty ave. and Fifth st.

### LOST.

EXPRESSMAN hired to bring trunk from Union depot Wednesday afternoon to Ralph Harris; please deliver to 1527 Clark st.

LOST—Package containing 3 or 4 small books; reward if same is returned to office of Peoples Natural Gas Co., 1919 Forbes st.

LOST—Lady's gold watch Wednesday afternoon, on Fulton st. car or Aiken ave. Reward if returned to 712 St. James st.

LOST—Saturday, in city, gold watch fob charm marked A. B. B. Reward if returned 407 South Highland ave., E. E.

LOST—Thursday, Nov. 24, star-shaped brooch, pearls, diamond center; reward. Return to 218 North Negley ave.

LOST—In city, gold scarf pin, pear-shaped. Liberal reward. Return to 825 Farmers Bank building.

### STOLEN.

STOLEN—On October 22, bay horse 15.3 hands high, one white ankle behind; weight about 1,000 pounds; paces, going slow, jogs trotting; hitched to yellow Moyer runabout. Any information leading to recovery of this outfit will be thankfully received by W. J. Thubron, Federal and Montgomery street, Allegheny.

STOLEN—November 22, bay horse, about 1,400 lbs., black feet, thin tail, star on forehead, diamond on nose. About 18 years old. Reward if returned to Charles Bock, Carnegie, Pa. Route 1.

## PATENTS.

PATENTS expeditiously procured in all countries. Send for circular. David P. Moore, 246 Third ave. Loan and Trust building, Washington, D. C.

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TRUXALL, seller and promoter of patents. 900 German Nat. Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh.

## EXCURSIONS.

CLARK'S cruise, Mediterranean-Orient, February 2, 1905; visiting Madeira, Cadiz, Seville, Algeria, Malta, Greece, Turkey, Egypt, etc.; 70 days $400 and upward. Illustrated program free from Wm. M. Bell, Times building, Pittsburgh.

## DETECTIVE AGENCY.

PERKINS UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY. Licensed and bonded; offices 531 Fourth ave. TELEPHONES (private exchange)—Bell 1683-1684 Court; P. & A., 576 Main; night call, Hazel 8-L.

## DANCING ACADEMY.

M'DOUGALL'S Dancing Academy, 27 Federal, Allegheny. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturdays. 10 lessons $3. Children Saturday 3 p. m. Private lessons any afternoon or evening, $1.

## BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

FOR SALE—A good paying feed business, including cornmeal mill; will sell or lease property. L. S. Depue, 820 Four and a Half st., S. W., Washington, D. C.

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

### Christian Science.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, 4700 Fifth avenue—11 and 8, "God the Only Cause and Creator."

### Miscellaneous.

CONGREGATION RODEPH SHALOM, Eighth street near Duquesne way, J. Leonard Levy, D. D.—10:30, "The Cry of the Children."

CHURCH OF GOD, College avenue and Spahr street, J. L. Updegraph—11, temperance address by G. H. Vilbert of Boston; 7:45, evangelistic service.

FIRST SOCIETY OF NEW JERUSALEM, Allegheny, Isabella and Sandusky streets, John R. Stephenson—10:45, "Blessing for Cursing."

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, Alleghany, 24 W. Lacock street, G. Clinton Day—2:30 and 7:30, usual services.

Y. M. C. A., Penn avenue and Seventh street—4, address to young men by Robert S. Smith.

NEW COVENANT MISSION, 333 Forty-second street, M. Ruben—3, gospel service.

FIRST SPIRITUAL, Homestead, Celia Mutual Clifford—7:45, usual service.

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

### Presbyterian.

SECOND, Allegheny, Franklin street, D. A. Greene—10:45, "Witnesses for God;" 7:45, "Brotherhood of David and Jonathan," sermon to Junior C. A. M. and Daughters of Liberty.

SECOND, Pittsburgh, Bijou theater, S. Edward Young, D. D.—10:30, "Protestantism—Its Strong Points—Wherein Should We Protest More?" 7:30, "Leaving One's First Love."

FORTY-THIRD STREET, Lawrenceville, U. S. Greve—10:30, "The Civil Sabbath;" 7:45, union service with Seventh United Presbyterian church.

THIRD, South Negley and Fifth avenues, William L. McEwan, D. D.—11, sermon by J. B. McClelland, D. D.; 7:45, "Forgiving Our Debtors."

SECOND CUMBERLAND, Penn and Br

# BUOYANCY IN U. S. STEEL WALL STREET'S FEATURE

## Preferred Stock and Bonds Sold at the Highest Prices for More Than Two Years—Local Market Averaged Higher.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The dominating feature of the New York market yesterday was the buoyancy of the United States Steel issues. The sinking fund 5s sold at 95¼ and the preferred stock at 94¼, which are the highest prices for more than two years. The common stock crossed 29, which was the highest price this year. The dealings were on an enormous scale, and the best prices were made in the final trading, closing prices being practically the highest of the day. The character of the buying of the bonds was said to be of the best, while that of the preferred stock was thought to be evenly divided between covering shorts and investment. Predictions were freely made that the bonds would reach par by the first of December, the highest ever quoted, and that the preferred would reach par by December 15. Compared with Wednesday's closing prices, yesterday's net gains amount to 2⅝ per cent on the common, 4⅛ on the preferred, and 2¼ on the bonds.

There was absolutely no news accompanying the rise in these securities, except a repetition of the reports of activity in the iron trade and the placing of equipment orders by the railroads. At the opening the stock was strong, following the advance in London's quotations, and foreigners were liberal buyers. The selling was credited largely to a prominent western clique, but opinion was divided as to whether this selling was realizing profits or the putting out of shorts. The strength in United States Steel securities was sufficient to uplift the entire group of iron and steel issues, and as a rule these also reached the highest prices of the year. Tennessee Coal & Iron rose 2 per cent to 77½, and Colorado Fuel & Iron 3 points to 51. Locomotive and the car-building stocks were also active and higher.

Aside from the steel stocks there was considerable irregularity in the market at the opening. Three stocks which a flamboyant Boston speculator had announced he would sell in immense amounts "on the dot of 9 o'clock" were the chief sufferers. It seems that there are still some impressionable minds among the professional operators in Wall street, and these were apparently anticipating the unloading advertised by the plunger. Amalgamated Copper broke from 78¾ to 76¼. Sugar broke from 149¼ to 147¼, and Pacific Mail broke from 45¼ to 42. In every instance there was a sharp recovery. Amalgamated Copper closed unchanged for the day, while Sugar and Pacific Mail were among the few stocks which closed at net declines.

The early feature of the railroad list was the activity and strength of Illinois Central and Chicago Great Western, and there was a rumor that the former was acquiring control of the latter. Atchison became strong on foreign buying, but did not improve upon its initial price of 99, and it closed at a net advance of only ¼ per cent. Union Pacific closed a shade lower and Southern Pacific unchanged. The Pennsylvania group of stocks did not display any strength until late in the day, but they all closed from ¼ to ⅞ higher than on Wednesday. Some good earnings for the Gould roads were reported for the third week in November, but they failed to stimulate activity in the stocks. The general market closed strong, but almost wholly under the influence of United States Steel securities.

Call loan rates opened firm at 3 per cent, advanced to 3½, declined to 2¾, and then just before the close advanced to 4 per cent. Time loans for all dates were quoted at 4 per cent bid. There is a general expectation that today's bank statement will show a further large loss in cash, but a reduction in loans may save the surplus reserve from any serious decline. Sterling exchange weakened toward the close of the day.

The local stock market was moderately active, and prices averaged higher, but the movement was not entirely uniform. United States Steel stocks were the most active and scored the largest advances, but the buying here was largely by private wire houses, which kept in touch with the New York market and anticipated the public ticker by sufficient margin to make "scalping" operations profitable. National Fire Proofing common and preferred were firm and closed ½ point higher. Crucible Steel sympathized with the strength of United States Steel, the common advancing to 9¾ and the preferred to 48¼, closing at the best. Pittsburgh Coal was duller than for some time past. There were no sales of the common and less than 200 shares of the preferred. The latter advanced to and closed at 78¾ bid. River Coal common sold at 10 and the preferred advanced to 30. Westinghouse Air Brake was lower, selling at 146½. Electric rallied to 90½, while Switch & Signal was lower at 83¼ bid, 83½ asked. At the call of bank stocks trading was light. A small lot of Fidelity Title & Trust sold at 496, an advance of $26 a share over the last previous sale. Cosmopolitan National was $5 higher at 115. There were no transactions in bonds, but prices were firm.

## PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

**10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 100 | U. S. Stl. pfd. | 96⅝ | |
| 50 | do | 96⅜ | |
| 27 | do | 96⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 96⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 96⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 96⅝ | |
| 300 | Nat'l Fire Proo | 25¼ | |
| 100 | F. Proof pfd. | 93¼ | |
| 20 | do | 93 | |
| 10 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 10 | do | 93½ | |
| 1 | do | 93½ | |
| 1 | do | 93½ | |
| 5 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 25 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 70 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 30 | do | 93⅜ | |

**10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | F. Proof pfd. | 93½ | |
| 50 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 30 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 20 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 100 | do | 93½ | |
| 50 | do | 93⅜ | |
| 10 | do | 93⅝ | |
| 34 | do | 93½ | |
| 10 | U. S. Stl. com. | 29 | |
| 30 | do | 29 | |
| 100 | do | 29 | |
| 30 | do | 29 | |

**11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | Electric 2nds. | 90¼ | |
| 50 | do | 90½ | |
| 20 | do | 90½ | |
| 50 | do | 90½ | |
| 20 | do | 90½ | |
| 30 | U. S. Stl. com. | 28 | |
| 30 | do | 28 | |
| 50 | do | 28 | |
| 50 | do | 28¼ | |
| 50 | do | 28¾ | |
| 300 | do | 28¾ | |
| 10 | do | 28¾ | |
| 100 | Crucible com. | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
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| 10 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 100 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 9⅝ | |
| 25 | Crucible pfd. | 47⅞ | |
| 75 | do | 47¾ | |
| 50 | F. Proof pfd. | 93⅝ | |

**12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | F. Proof com. | 11½ | |
| 5 | do | 11½ | |
| 15 | P. Coal pfd. | 78½ | |
| 25 | Crucible pfd. | 47⅝ | |
| 10 | do | 47¾ | |
| 20 | do | 47¾ | |
| 20 | do | 47¾ | |
| 100 | Tonopah Ext. | 2.10 | |
| 200 | do | 2.10 | |
| 500 | do | 2.10 | |
| 100 | U. S. Stl. pfd. | 93 | |
| 100 | U. S. Stl. com. | 29 | |
| 10 | Crucible com. | 9⅝ | |
| 25 | do | 9¾ | |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 50 | F. Proof pfd. | 93¾ | |
| 15 | U. S. Stl. com. | 28 | |
| 25 | Brewing com. | 26½ | |
| 25 | Electric 2nds. | 90½ | |
| 50 | Riv. Coal pfd. | 30 | |
| 50 | do | 30 | |
| 50 | Crucible com. | 9⅝ | |
| 50 | do | 9¾ | |
| 50 | do | 9¾ | |
| 50 | F. Proof com. | 11⅝ | |
| 100 | Tonopah Ext. | 2.09 | |
| 100 | do | 2.08 | |
| 20 | M. L. & H. | 38¾ | |
| 25 | do | 38¾ | |
| 5 | do | 38⅝ | |
| 5 | do | 38½ | |

**2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | Crucible pfd. | 48 | |
| 50 | U. S. Stl. pfd. | 92⅝ | |
| 50 | do | 93 | |
| 10 | do | 93 | |
| 5 | Brewing com. | 26½ | |
| 500 | Marsden | 4½ | |
| 10 | Electric 2nds. | 90½ | |
| 100 | Phila. pfd. | 46¾ | |

**2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | Crucible com. | 9¼ | |
| 1 | do | 9⅜ | |
| 5 | do | 9¾ | |
| 5 | do | 9¾ | |
| 50 | do | 9¾ | |
| 1 | do | 10 | |
| 100 | U. S. Stl. pfd. | 93 | |
| 50 | do | 93 | |
| 10 | do | 93¾ | |
| 34 | do | 93¾ | |
| 10 | U. S. Stl. com. | 29 | |
| 30 | do | 29 | |
| 100 | do | 29 | |
| 30 | do | 29 | |

*At auction for account.

### Summary.

| Shares. | | High. | Low. | Last Sales. | Ch'ge. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 225 | Brewing | 26¾ | 26½ | 26½ | 0 |
| 60 | Consol. Ice | 8 | 7⅞ | 8 | +⅛ |
| 680 | Crucible Steel | *10 | *9½ | *10 | +⅜ |
| 240 | Do preferred | 48¼ | 47½ | 48¾ | +½ |
| 374 | Fire Proofing | 11⅞ | *11⅝ | 11⅞ | +⅜ |
| 1122 | Do preferred | 53⅞ | 52 | 53½ | +1⅝ |
| 445 | M. L. & H. | 38⅝ | 38¼ | 38½ | —⅛ |
| 200 | Nat. Fire Proo | 25¼ | 24½ | 24¾ | +¼ |
| 101 | Phila. Co. pfd. | 46¼ | *45 | 46¼ | —¼ |
| 159 | Pgh. Coal pfd. | 78½ | 78½ | 78½ | +⅛ |
| 85 | Pgh. Oil & Gas | 77¼ | 77⅜ | 77¼ | —¼ |
| 50 | Pgh. Pl. Gl. | 122½ | 122½ | 122½ | 0 |
| 45 | River Coal | 11 | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| 100 | Do preferred | 30 | 30 | 30 | +¼ |
| 300 | Sewer Pipe | 25⅛ | 24¾ | 25¼ | +⅛ |
| 1720 | Tonopah Extl. | 2.10 | 2.08 | 2.10 | +.02 |
| 1355 | U. S. Steel | 29⅝ | 28 | 29⅛ | +1½ |
| 1108 | Do preferred | 93½ | 90¾ | 93¼ | +3¼ |
| 37 | W. Airbrake | 145½ | 145½ | 145½ | —½ |
| 245 | W. Elec. 2ds | 90½ | 89¾ | 90½ | +⅛ |
| 31 | Win. Glass pfd. | 50 | 50 | 50 | 0 |
| | BANK STOCKS. | | | | |
| 10 | Nat. City Bk. | 115 | 115 | 115 | +5 |
| 10 | Fidelity T. & T. | 496 | 496 | 496 | +26 |
| †20 | Turtle Creek S. & Trust | 100 | 100 | 100 | .... |
| 9262 | | | | | |

*Less than 10 shares. †At auction for account. ‡New high mark.

### Closing Bids and Offers.

| STOCKS. | Par. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Arsenal bank | 50 | 135 | .... |
| Exchange National | 50 | 82 | .... |
| Federal National | 100 | 192 | .... |
| Lincoln National | 100 | 200 | .... |
| Second National Pittsburgh | 100 | 250 | .... |
| Tradesmen & Mechanics | 50 | 70 | .... |
| Iron & Glass | 100 | .... | 300 |
| Safe Deposit & Trust | 100 | .... | 449 |
| Commonwealth Trust | 100 | 200 | .... |
| Bank of Secured Savings | 50 | 70 | .... |
| Tecutonia Insurance | 50 | 91 | .... |
| Manufacturers Light & Heat | 50 | 38¾ | 38½ |
| Ohio Fuel Supply | 25 | 41½ | 42 |
| Pittsburgh Oil & Gas | 100 | .... | 77½ |
| Peoples Pipage | 25 | 25 | .... |
| Tonopah Extension | 1 | 2.12 | .... |
| Luster Mining | 10 | 12½ | .... |
| Westinghouse Electric | 50 | 90¾ | 90¾ |
| Monongahela Incline Plane | 50 | 62 | .... |
| American Window Glass pfd. | 100 | 46 | 49 |
| Pittsburgh Coal | .... | 84⅜ | 85 |
| Do preferred | .... | 36 | 37 |
| Cent. Dist. & Print. Tele. | 100 | 150 | .... |
| Crucible Steel | 100 | 9⅝ | 9⅞ |
| Do preferred | 100 | 48⅛ | 48½ |
| Harbison-Walker Co. | 100 | 8 | 9 |
| Monongahela River Coal | 50 | 10 | 11 |
| Pittsburgh Brewing preferred | 50 | 29½ | 30 |
| Marsden | 100 | 4½ | 4½ |
| National Fire Proofing | 50 | 11¼ | 11½ |
| Do preferred | 50 | 33 | 33½ |
| Philadelphia Co. | 50 | 40¾ | 41 |
| Pittsburgh Brewing | 50 | 26 | 26½ |
| Do preferred | 50 | 22 | 23 |
| Pittsburgh Plate Glass | 100 | 21½ | 22 |
| Do preferred | 100 | 78¾ | 79 |
| Pittsburgh Plate Glass | 100 | 129 | 130 |
| Pittsburgh Stove & Range | 50 | 6 | .... |
| Do preferred | 50 | .... | 17½ |
| Union Switch & Signal | 50 | 83¼ | 83½ |
| United States Glass | 100 | 45 | 49½ |
| United States Steel | 100 | 29 | .... |
| Do preferred | 100 | 93¾ | .... |
| Westinghouse Airbrake | 50 | 144 | 148 |
| American Sewer Pipe | 100 | 25¾ | 26 |
| BONDS. | | | |
| P., A. & M. Traction 5s | .... | 112 | .... |
| Pgh., Sck. & Conn. 1st 5s | .... | .... | 100 |
| Monon. River Coal 6s | .... | 110 | .... |
| Pittsburgh Brewing 6s | .... | 114 | 115 |
| Wkbg. & E. Pgh. St. Ry. 5s | .... | 111¾ | .... |
| Monongahela St. Ry. 5s | .... | 113 | .... |
| Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s | .... | 102 | .... |

### PIG IRON WARRANTS.

The following quotations were made on warrants of the American Pig Iron Storage Warrant Company:

| Class. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| A—January delivery | $17.85 | $18.25 |
| B—January delivery | 15.65 | 15.95 |
| D—January delivery | .... | 17.00 |
| A—November delivery | 17.85 | 18.85 |
| A—December delivery | 17.85 | 18.25 |

## FEATURES OF THE DAY

| IN PITTSBURGH. | IN WALL STREET. |
|---|---|
| **Bank exchanges increased $2,150,000 over the same day last year.** | **United States Steel issues extremely buoyant, leading the entire market.** |
| **Crucible Steel common advanced to 9¾ and the preferred to 48¼.** | **The preferred stock reached 94¼ and the bonds 95¼, the highest prices for two years.** |
| **National Fire Proofing common rallied to 11⅛ and the preferred to 33⅞.** | **Pittsburgh Coal preferred closed higher at 78¾. No sales of the common.** |
| **Westinghouse Airbrake declined to 145½. Electric advanced to 90½.** | **Dealings in both issues were enormous, and the highest prices were made at the close.** |
| **Fidelity Title and Trust sold at 496, an advance of $26 over the last previous sale.** | **Copper, Sugar and Pacific Mail the weakest stocks, but all three recovered late in the day.** |
| | **Railroad issues less active, but closed firm and fractionally higher.** |
| | **Sales of all stocks reached 1,350,400 shares. Bond sales, $10,740,000.** |

## LOCAL BANK CALL.

Trading on call was light, but prices were firm. Fidelity Title and Trust sold at 496, an advance of $26, and Cosmopolitan at 115, an advance of $5. Turtle Creek Savings and Trust sold for account of whom it may concern at 100. Following were unposted quotations for small lots of stock:

| | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|
| Bank of Pittsburgh | 165½ | 168 |
| Cosmopolitan National | 114 | .... |
| Exchange National | 85 | 90 |
| Federal National | 195 | .... |
| German National, Pittsburgh | 242 | 250 |
| Industrial National | .... | 125 |
| Metropolitan National | .... | 200 |
| Morigage Banking | .... | 100 |
| Fort Pitt National | .... | 250 |
| Fidelity Title & Trust | .... | 407 |
| Real Estate Trust | .... | 225 |
| Safe Deposit & Trust, Pittsburgh | .... | 449 |
| Commonwealth Trust | 200 | 210 |
| Home Trust | .... | 125 |
| Colonial Trust | .... | 300 |
| Merchants Savings & Trust | .... | 59 |
| German American Trust | 156 | 160 |
| Central Savings & Trust | .... | 60 |
| Diamond Savings | .... | 210 |
| Second National, Pittsburgh | .... | 900 |
| South Side Trust | 100 | .... |
| Homewood Peoples | 50 | .... |

## NOTES AND COMMENT.

There was a cheer on the local stock exchange just before the close of the market yesterday when the New York ticker recorded United States Steel preferred as selling at 94. Bankers and brokers are very frank in their admission that they never looked to see the stock sell in the 90s this year, but at the same time they note a change in public sentiment that may be strong enough to carry the price to par, a price some of the more sanguine Wall street traders are predicting for it by the middle of next month. Pittsburgh was a heavy seller of the stock when the price crossed 80, expecting to buy back around 75, but there has been no reaction that would enable them to recover their stock at a profit. The same is true of the sinking fund bonds, which yesterday crossed 95. The highest price at which these bonds ever sold was 96¼, in March, 1902, when they were traded in on the curb in New York. In May of the same year they declined to 92 on the bringing of the suit to restrain the conversion proposition. When the courts sustained the position of the company after prolonged litigation, the stock market had undergone a change in tone, and the price of the bonds gradually sagged until in September last year they sold as low as 67⅝. Since then there has been an appreciation in market value of 27 per cent, and in addition thereto the buyer has received 5 per cent for a year's interest. The advance in the market yesterday was equivalent to six months' interest.

The par value of United States Steel securities changing hands on the New York exchange yesterday was $21,650,000 common, $25,660,000 preferred and $7,000,000 bonds, a total of $54,310,000. This is believed to break all records for a day's dealings in any individual bond on the stock exchange. The continued absorption of these bonds at the higher level was assumed to be for investment account. As proof of the better state of the steel and iron trade it is only necessary to cite today's advance of $3 per ton in bar iron by one of the independent companies. That this advance has been or will be followed by kindred companies admits of little doubt.

Announcement was made on the stock exchange yesterday of the sudden death of M. C. Chaplin, a son of Secretary W. W. Chaplin of the Pittsburgh stock exchange. Deceased was employed at the Monongahela National bank.

Wall street's explanation of the advance in Steel preferred was that the west is short of the stock. This would hardly account for the strength of the sinking fund bonds, which really led the advance in the market. There has been no intimation that anyone was selling the bonds short, although it is known that Pittsburgh has been taking profits on long holdings for more than a week past. There was a story current in the street that the London buying of the securities was for account of a pool that had been formed as a result of intimations conveyed by the foreign branch of the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Consolidated Ice advanced to and closed at 8¼ bid, the highest of the year. Tips have been in circulation that a movement was likely to occur in the stock.

The gross earnings of Missouri Pacific for the third week in November increased $47,000. Missouri, Kansas & Texas reported an increase of $41,950 for the same week.

West Side Belt 5s were offered on the exchange yesterday at 110½, and Pittsburgh Terminal 5s at 105½.

After the close of the regular call Miller bought 30 shares Commonwealth Trust at 210, an advance of 10 points over the last previous sale. Coyle Bros. sold.

Out of town banks and other financial institutions were lenders of money on call in New York yesterday. For London account some 50,000 shares of stocks were bought. That a large part of London's purchases were really for New York account, including the short interest in the Steel stocks, was generally believed.

The Pittsburgh Coal preferred dividend scrip issued on January 25, 1904, and payable in one year therefrom, was paid off yesterday, in accordance with the notice given earlier in the month.

Trading in bonds on the New York exchange still owes most of its volume to issues with a speculative feature, like Union Pacific convertibles, directly affected by activity in the stock market. In this connection, however, it is fair to say that Steel sinking fund 5s have attained a degree of respectability which did not look possible six months ago. They are finding favor as an investment and have been taken out of the market to a considerable extent. Rock Island issues seem also to be finding their level in pretty much the same way. Trading over the counter is decidedly quieter although the demand for bonds suitable for trustees is still reported good. The advance in the money rate has to a large extent eliminated the inquiry for 4 per cent issues yielding a little better than that rate. The banks are the leaders of money when the principal buyers, and can no doubt turn over their funds more quickly in an active money market. They evidently do not expect high rates to continue for any length of time as they show less disposition to sell gilt-edged bonds and seem to think that for the early part of next year at any rate they will do as well there as anywhere. One interesting development, not uncommon at this time of the year, is the demand of the Insurance companies for good guaranteed stocks. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne, Cleveland & Pittsburgh, Morris & Essex, Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg, and other guarantees of the highest class are in real demand. These are exempt from tax and therefore are wanted over the end of the year, when the insurance companies make their returns for taxation purposes. A good deal of this stock comes out in February as a rule.

The following statement comes from a person in close touch with the Standard Oil Company: "Certain western banking institutions are endeavoring to place millions of dollars in this city, but are unable to do so. This is the best evidence that abnormal rates for money in the near future are out of the question. If call money rates at this center should advance to 4 per cent you would witness a pronounced inflow of currency to this center. The banks are doing considerable business for their interior correspondents in the way of investment buying. One bank last week purchased $2,000,000 bonds for outside interests. The buying of investment securities is the basis of the present bull market. Prices may be regarded as high, but in the face of enormous buying orders, what is the use of arguing against a continued upward movement in values? Business is improving everywhere. The people have money, and the natural drift of this surplus money is toward the investment field. The incorporation of the Chicago Subway Company means another step toward more harmonious railroad relations. There will be no fight between the traction lines of Chicago and Subway interests. As a matter of fact the organization of the Chicago Subway will go a long way toward clearing up the traction problem in Chicago."—Wall Street Journal.

The statement of the New Castle Savings & Trust Company shows deposits of $203,432. The company began business June 1, 1903, with deposits of $29,339.

On Monday the Bank of England shipped $250,000 gold to Argentina. Yesterday it was reported that New York would ship $1,000,000 to the same country.

## THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains easy and unchanged at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

| | Exchanges. | Balances. |
|---|---|---|
| Yesterday | $9,195,451 80 | $1,699,102 15 |
| Last week | 8,048,069 27 | 1,841,295 04 |
| Last year | 7,046,119 85 | $38,698 85 |

### Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Money was growing scarcer in the market today owing to the joint stock banks calling in loans in order to make up their monthly balance sheets. The discount business was largely done by the Bank of England. Trading on the stock exchange was quiet, but had a good tendency. Consols eased a shade. Home rails were depressed. Americans were maintained but were idle pending the receipt of the quotations at the opening of the New York stock market. Stocks closed weaker. Rhodesians and Kaffirs were firm and somewhat active. Argentine rails were lower on rumors of labor troubles in Argentina. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 85. Consols for money, 88 1-16; consols for account, 88⅛. Bar silver firm, 27 1-16d per ounce. Money, 2@3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2@3 1-16 per cent; the rate in the open market for three months' bills is 3 per cent.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—Trading on the bourse today was irregular and prices were feeble. The approaching debate in the chamber of deputies on the proposed income tax depressed French rentes. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 94.40 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 493. The private rate of discount was 2 9-16 per cent. Three per cent rentes 98f 40 c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 15c for checks.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—The transactions on the boerse today were light. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 per cent; three months' bills, 3¾ per cent.

### Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the subtreasury paid out Wednesday, $56,027; of this amount $19,054 had been deposited at San Francisco and $45,973 at Seattle. Total paid since Friday, $78,429, against $63,686 for the same period a week ago; total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $5,494,000; payment by banks to government, $7,853,000; balance on the day's transactions, $2,359,000 paid by banks to government; total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $2,592,000, against $2,219,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago; included in the foregoing summary is $1,600,000 deposited by banks with the sub-treasury for payment at San Francisco.

### Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 25.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $144,069,232; gold, $82,701,581; silver, $2,802,257; United States notes, $3,837,907; treasury notes of 1890, $40,526; national bank notes, $11,880,393; total receipts this day, $3,180,055; total receipts this month, $38,344,312; total receipts this year, $225,369,382; total expenditures this day, $2,230,000; total expenditures this month, $42,180,000; total expenditures this year, $251,041,199; deposits in national banks, $119,135,495.

### New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Prime mercantile paper, 4¼@4¾ per cent. Sterling exchange soft, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85.85@4 86.90 for demand and at $4 84.05@4 84.10 for 60 days' bills. Posted rates, $4 85 and $4 87½@4 88. Commercial bills, $4 83¾@4 83¾. Bar silver, 58⅝c. Mexican dollars, 47c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular. Money on call strong at 3@4 per cent. Closing, bid and asked, 3½ per cent. Time loans firm; 60 days, 3½ per cent; 90 days, 4 per cent; six months, 4 per cent.

## CONFIDENCE IS STRONGER IN ALL LINES OF TRADE

### Orders Are Coming Forward With Increasing Freedom—Mills Are Reopening—Some Delay in Freight.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Retail and jobbing trade was retarded by unseasonably mild weather and the interruption of another holiday, but manufacturers extend operations as confidence is strengthened by the receipt of larger contracts for future delivery, and many inquiries that promise to mature in something more tangible. Postponed orders of all kinds are being placed on reports from every prominent industry, indicating that idle mills are reopening and the number of operatives gradually increasing. Cotton spinning makes the slowest progress, but the statistical position steadily improves as stocks of goods diminish and the raw material declines nearer the point at which the mills can operate profitably. Other textile lines, footwear and practically all branches of the iron and steel industry are gaining steadily. Some delay is noted in the movement of freight, while railway returns for November thus far show a gain of 6 per cent over last year's gross earnings. Foreign trade at this port for the last week exceeds that of a year ago by $2,832,504 in value of merchandise exports, and $1,535,309 in imports.

Improvement in the iron and steel industry continues, orders coming forward with increasing freedom, despite the upward trend of prices. Practically all lines of standard shapes are at a higher level, except steel rails, and there is less agitation for a reduction from the list price of $28 for these. Each week brings out more business from the railways, several orders of large tonnage having appeared in all leading divisions. The return of freight blockades has materialized many deferred orders for cars, and locomotive shops are all busy ones more. Steel mills are resuming at a rate that promises full operation in a few months.

Wire and kindred products are in brisk demand, and even structural material is awakening from a protracted period of lethargy caused by labor interruptions in the building trades and economical operation of railways in respect to new bridges, track elevations, etc. Blast furnaces are producing larger quantities of pig iron, although the movement of fuel is not as prompt as desired because of water supply and transportation shortages.

Prices of wool are fully maintained at recent advances, the markets ruling quiet because of limited offerings rather than any slackening of demand. Woolen mills are actively engaged, the only cause for complaint being the price of raw material.

Failures this week numbered 205 in the United States, against 238 last year, and in Canada, as compared with 14 a year ago.

Bradstreets tomorrow will say:

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending November 23, aggregate 1,332,386 bushels, against 1,289,642 last week, 3,351,767 this week last year, 4,179,085 in 1902, and 6,117,478 in 1901.

From July 1 to date the exports aggregate 28,010,477 bushels, against 68,721,795 last year, 109,438,009 in 1902 and 123,293,634 in 1901. Corn exports for the week aggregate 29,692 bushels, against 139,978 last week, 1,520,941 a year ago, 355,174 in 1902, and 499,178 in 1901. From July 1 to date the exports of corn aggregate 10,959,556 bushels, against 24,503,544 in 1903, 2,643,254 in 1902, and 17,659,878 in 1901.

## BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended November 24, 1904, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

| | Amount. | Per Cent Inc. | Per Cent Dec. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | $1,746,841,295 | 82.6 | .... |
| Chicago | 184,030,849 | 13.8 | .... |
| Boston | 127,107,608 | 29.6 | .... |
| Philadelphia | 110,139,362 | 20.5 | .... |
| St. Louis | 52,973,719 | .... | 2.7 |
| Pittsburgh | 40,475,614 | 38.2 | .... |
| San Francisco | 27,710,096 | 10.4 | .... |
| Baltimore | 22,821,925 | 31.2 | .... |
| Cincinnati | 19,528,400 | 5.9 | .... |
| Kansas City | 20,321,269 | 15.7 | .... |
| New Orleans | 19,493,772 | 22.4 | .... |
| Cleveland | 12,187,751 | .... | .6 |
| Minneapolis | 20,302,968 | 19.4 | .... |
| Detroit | 10,850,910 | 2. | .... |
| Wilkesbarre | 851,715 | 8.8 | .... |
| Wheeling, W. Va. | 776,884 | 44.7 | .... |
| Akron | 448,000 | .... | 17.9 |
| Youngstown | 459,685 | .... | .6 |
| Canton, O. | 370,150 | .... | 15.5 |
| Chester, Pa. | 341,841 | .... | 27.2 |
| Greensburg, Pa. | 304,998 | 16.5 | .... |
| Springfield, O. | 332,252 | .... | 1.1 |
| *Galveston | 12,097,000 | 16.8 | .... |
| Totals, U. S. | $2,567,079,848 | 55.1 | .... |
| Outside New York | 820,238,613 | 17.6 | .... |
| **CANADA.** | | | |
| Montreal | $ 29,432,804 | 40.6 | .... |
| Toronto | 24,246,551 | 70.4 | .... |
| Totals, Canada | $ 75,727,208 | 44.3 | .... |

*Not included in total because containing other items than clearings.

## ACTIVITY IN STEEL HELPED OTHER ISSUES

### Advance in the Shares of Car Construction and Equipment Due to Orders.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The Herald this (Saturday) morning says:

A consideration of the stock market of yesterday is a consideration of little else than of the steel and iron and metal stocks and of the interest of manufacturing concerns into which iron and steel enter as a component factor. The general list, aside from one or two features, was dull, and showed an irregular tendency. That it closed generally strong was due largely to the enormous transactions and sustained strength of the United States Steel issues. The concentration of buying in this quarter doubtless influenced a better short covering. Business was poorly distributed, more than one-third of the total dealings were made up of United States Steel common and preferred and a group of about a dozen issues contributed more than three-fourths of the total dealings, leaving very meager transactions for the great majority of issues.

The advance in the shares of car construction and car equipment companies was generally referrable to the reported great orders now being placed by the railroad companies for additional equipment. It is understood that the Pennsylvania has entered the market for 5,000 cars for its lines west of Pittsburgh, and that the Harriman management, which postponed buying its cars until after the recent advance in billets and other steel forms, entered the market this week for a large contract. The prices for cars now range from $100 to $150 higher than they were a month ago.

### New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer. Elevator | ⅛ | Manhattan Trans. | 4⅜ |
| American Chicle | 119 | Mon. & Bos. Cop. | 2 15-16 |
| Do preferred | 96 | New Ams. Gas 5s | 111 |
| Amer. Tin Can | 10⅝ | New Orleans Ry. | 8¼ |
| Do preferred | 55 | Do preferred | 20 |
| Bay State Gas | ⅜ | Do bonds | 80 |
| British Columbia | 7 | N. Y. Transit | 71½ |
| Brooklyn Ferry | 4⅞ | North. Securities | 117¾ |
| Central Foundry | 3¼ | Otis Elevator | 48 |
| Do preferred | 17½ | Do preferred | 90 |
| Electric Boat | 41 | Roy. Bak. P. pfd. | 100 |
| Do preferred | 68 | Seab'd Air Line | 19¼ |
| Electric Vehicle | 16 | Do preferred | 38¾ |
| Do preferred | 25 | Standard Oil | 628 |
| Greene Con. Cop. | 30 | Tennessee Copper | 37¾ |
| Havana Com. | 35 | Trust of America | 105 |
| Do preferred | 44 | Union Copper | 1⅝ |
| Int. Mer. Mar. | 12½ | Tonapah | 8½ |
| Do preferred | 27½ | White Knob | 1¼ |
| International Salt | 21½ | Interboro | 167 |
| Do 5s | 92 | | |

### Boston Stocks and Bonds.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atchison | 98½ | Am. Arge. Chem. | 5½ |
| Do preferred | 103⅝ | American Sugar | 148¼ |
| *Bos. & Albany | 254½ | Do preferred | 138 |
| Boston & Maine | 167½ | Am. Tel. & Tel. | 144¾ |
| Boston Elevated | 154 | American Woolen | 22¼ |
| *Fitchburg pfd. | 140 | Do preferred | 92¼ |
| Mexican Central | 22½ | Mass. Gas | 49⅞ |
| N. Y. N. H. & H. | 196 | United Fruit | 106¾ |
| 4Pere Marquette | 76 | United Shoe Mach. | 38 |
| Union Pacific | 115⅜ | Do preferred | 51⅜ |
| Am. Arge. Chem. | 20 | U. S. Steel | 29⅞ |
| *Do preferred | 83½ | Do preferred | 93⅞ |

*Bid. †Asked.

### Philadelphia Closing Bids.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer. Railways | 40½ | Penna. Steel | 48 |
| Cambria Steel | 25¼ | Do preferred | 92 |
| Cambria Iron | 47 | Phila. Co. | 40¾ |
| Cons. Trac. N. J. | 17⅝ | Do preferred | 45¼ |
| Cons. Lake Sup'r. | 6⅝ | Phila. Traction | 97½ |
| Do preferred | 12⅝ | Phila. Elec. Co. | 8 7-16 |
| Elec. Storage | 38 | Tidewater Steel | 2 |
| Elec. Co. Amer. | 18½ | Do preferred | 18¾ |
| Lehigh Valley | 43½ | Union Traction | 58¼ |
| Marsden | 4 5-16 | United Gas Impt. | 104½ |
| Penna. R. R. | 67⅝ | | |

### Electric Stocks at Boston.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Westingh'se com. | 90 | *Mass. Electric | 16 |
| Edison Elec. Il. | 240 | Do preferred | 61½ |
| General Electric | 191 | | |

*Asked.

### Express Companies' Stocks.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Adams | 236 | United States | 120 |
| American | 215 | Wells-Fargo | 237 |

### Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 5½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as conservative investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

## COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

**ACTIVE LIST.**

| Sales. | STOCKS. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close Bid. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 58200 | A., T. & S. F. | 89 | 89 | 88½ | 88¾ |
| 6200 | Do preferred | 104 | 104½ | 103⅝ | 103½ |
| 600 | Am. Cotton Oil | 34½ | 34¾ | 33⅝ | 34 |
| | Do preferred | .... | .... | .... | 92 |
| 16500 | Am. Sugar Ref. | 149 | 149½ | 147¼ | 148¼ |
| | Do preferred | 139 | 139 | 139 | 137 |
| 18400 | Am. Locomotive | 33⅝ | 34⅜ | 33⅝ | 34½ |
| 1400 | Do preferred | 102⅝ | 104 | 102¾ | 103⅝ |
| 4900 | A. Car Foundry | 31⅜ | 32⅝ | 31½ | 32½ |
| 1850 |

# CALL FOR WATER IN TWENTY-THIRD

## Supply Is Inadequate and the Bureau Does Not Keep Up With Building.

## TWO DEALS IN THE EAST END

The Twenty-third ward is growing entirely too fast to suit the bureau of water supply. Lately its residents have become more clamorous in their demands for a better water supply and it is probable that the recommendation of A. B. Shepherd, superintendent of the bureau, for a new 32-inch main will be heeded. At present the ward has only one 16-inch supply main running from the Heron Hill reservoir down Second avenue. Five years ago this was adequate, but since then 1,200 houses have been built in the ward, while there has been no increase in the water supply. As a result several streets were without city water for weeks last summer. Most of these are in the hill districts of the ward and their residents are frequently obliged to take to wells for their supply of drinking water. Petitions and remonstrances have so far been in vain, and the scarcity of water has been a serious drawback to the selling of many properties. Flowers avenue, Oakwood, Renova, Winston, Gertrude and Johnston streets and Glenwood avenue, are the localities most affected by the shortage. Along these streets is a population of 10,000 people. It is from these that the loudest complaints are coming at present and nothing short of a new 32-inch main will supply their need, it is said. The bureau is also way behind, it is said, in providing the water connections for the short streets in the West Field Hill addition. These have been promised soon. Fully 500 houses will be completed in the ward in the next eight months, if present plans are carried out, and the water bureau is being besieged by property owners and contractors who wish to go ahead with a good supply of water assured. The Twenty-third ward now has a population of 65,000, making it the second largest ward in the city in both population and area.

### Two Exchange Deals.

It turns out that the sale of the two McLean apartment houses in Craig street, noted in The Gazette last Sunday, was in the nature of an exchange. The deal was handled by J. A. Young & Co., of the East End, who sold the flats for William A. Curry for $45,000 each. One building at 226 Craig street, was bought by Lizzie Wall McGonigle of New York. The other, at 230, was secured by Mrs. Alice Fleming Espy of this city. In part payment for the apartments the buyers tendered seven acres of land in the Twenty-first ward, valued at $50,000. The property has a frontage of 566 feet in Lemington avenue, 1,176 feet in Park avenue, 480 feet in Highmark street and 218 feet in Richelieu street. It is nearly across Lincoln avenue from Chadwick place and near the Lincoln place allotment. The land was formerly part of the old Espy farm and will probably be put on the market in lot form in the spring.

Through the agency of A. L. Watson the property at 327 Neville street has been sold by Amy R. Torrance to George N. Powell for $16,500. It consists of a modern 12-room center-hall brick residence, handsomely finished, and standing on 50x130 feet, facing on the south side of the stret, near Wallingford street, Twentieth ward. In payment for this property Mr. Powell tendered a 10-room two-story brick house and 28x68 feet, on the east side of Stratton lane, near Walnut street, Twentieth ward, valued at $8,500, and a first mortgage of $10,500 on the Hotel Rider at Cambridge Springs.

The Paul Land Company is making arrangements to pave Oakwood avenue from the West Liberty car line to Lang avenue by the West Liberty Schoolhouse which stands near the center of old Paul farm. Seven $2,000 houses are now completed on the plan and 20 more have just been started by T. J. Williams. C. W. Heltman is also building a bunch of 20 houses in Terrace, High and Wayne streets, to cost from $2,500 to $3,500 each.

### Bad Water in McKeesport.

McKeesport property owners are said to be getting desperate over the vile acid condition of their city water. A well-known Pittsburgh man who owns several houses there made an examination of his water pipes the other day to try and find out the cause of the constant repairs asked by his tenants. He found the pipes from attic to basement coated thickly with a substance that had been discharged in the flow of water and which was eating out every pipe in the house. Another McKeesport man filtered two large bottles of the water Tuesday and corked them tight. Within six hours the corks had blown out of both bottles, showing to him conclusively that the water contained much poisonous matter.

J. H. McClelland, who has lately opened a downtown office in the Park building, is preparing a real estate sign which will be quite a novelty in its way. The prevailing colors are black and orange and the sign will read "Can Be Bought Through" or "Can Be Rented Through," instead of the usual "For Sale By" or "To Let By."

Renova street: Samuel W. Black & Co. sold for the Glenwood Land Company to John H. M. Connery a seven-room brick house on 25x80 feet, at 227 Renova street, Twenty-third ward, for $4,700.

Carver street: E. B. Heckert sold to John Martin an improved lot 24x100 feet, on the northeast side of Carver street, near Larimer avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $5,000.

Squirrel Hill: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for Miles J. Eastman to Walter Nuttall a 10-room brick and shingle house on the north side of Darlington road, near Murray avenue, Squirrel Hill, for $7,800 cash. The lot measures 33 1-3x150 feet and the house is finished in hardwood. Mr. Nuttall bought for a home.

A building permit, the only one for the day, was yesterday issued to Thomas F. Breen, 2424 Webster avenue, for four two-story frame six-room dwellings, to be erected in Chauncey street, near Wylie avenue, Thirteenth ward, to cost $1,000 each.

### Transfers Recorded.

Freeman H H to P J Pierce Tr, Nov 11, Swissvale, 132x88, Noble st.....$10,000
Blair Wm P to Earl E Kautz, Nov 1, Crafton, 308x48, Grandview ave..... 1,000
Parker J R to D McBurd, Aug 26, 125Edgewood, 60x250, Maple ave..... 5,400
Bruner Frank to Anna M Fink, Nov 2, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x176, Roberts st..... 1,200
Bear David to Ben Biggard, Nov 16, 3d wd, Alleg, 20x95, Hemlock st..... 7,500
Dickson R to Tillie Fisher, Apl 1, Ross twp, 80x210 to Ohio river..... 2,350
McGuire J S to M L Wilson, Nov 3, 20th wd, Pgh, 24x120, Ellsworth ave..... 8,000
Dibert S R to M A Harding, June 22, Baldwin twp, 3 lots, Fair Haven place 2,500
Wilson M L to J S McGuire, Nov 3, Wkng, 50x110, Trenton ave..... 7,100
Steele J R to C E Taylor et al, Oct 31, 10th wd, Pgh, 21x100, Bond st..... 6,000
Wilson M H to J R Steele, Oct 29, 19th wd, Pgh, 25x129, Bond st..... 6,000
Steele J R to M H Wilson, Oct 31, 19th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Frankstown ave..... 9,000
Rumstay H L to E Triplett, Nov 14, 16th wd, Alleg, 24x150, Chester ave..... 1,475
White Mary C to W S Austin, Nov 1, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x120, Gerrett st..... 4,200
Oeschinger M to C A Miller, May 18, 27th wd, Pgh, 24x100, Monastery ave. 1,400
Letovsky E to S Derby, Nov 21, 8th wd, Pgh, 20x92, Fulton st..... 12,000
O'Donnell J H to Thos Watson, Nov. 9, 9th wd, Alleg, 45x100, Schaffield st. 17,500
Simpson P E to L Z Hodil, Nov 22, Hampton twp, 1 acre..... 2,100
Jenkinson Wm to S H Baker, Oct 8, Bellevue, 120x125, Lincoln ave..... 5,240
McCoy E E to M M Book, Oct 28, Sawickley, 90x145, Cochrane st..... 4,482
Kent Mary E to Peter Kase, Nov 4, Carrick, 122x122, Lillie st..... 1,000
McHendry Sarah to F W Buskuhl, Oct 27, 49th wd, Pgh, 30x109, Collins ave 8,000
Shaffer J V to D G McCabe, Nov 17, Swissvale, 20x85, Rosslyn st..... 2,965
Hill Thos to L A Woodbura, Nov 21, 2d wd, McKpt, 24x100, Walnut st..... 3,000
Woodburn H F to A T Hill, Nov 27, 9th wd, McKpt, 25x100, Banker st..... 67
Woodburn L A to Thos L G Hill, Nov 22, 8th wd, McKpt, 25x100, Banker ave..... 666
Turtle Creek L & Impt Co to J E Kane, Nov 17, Turtle Creek, 18 lots, Electric plan..... 17,150
Morrison J H to Joseph A Maher, Nov 19, Freentree, 50x200, Brunswick place 775
Tuikeom D to R L Kelly, Nov 11, 12th wd, Pgh, 24x84, Smallman st..... 10,800
Puffinburg A J to Chas Lockhart, Nov 19, Wkng, 66x108, Penn ave..... 115,000
Model Home Co to S C Ihrbom, Nov 9, Knoxville, 37x109, Knox ave..... 4,750
Paul J J to S A Carter, Oct 25, 21st wd, Pgh, 24x100, Archilles st..... 1,400

### Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Butter strong; receipts (two days), 5,822 pkgs; unquoted, common to extra, 13@24½c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 18@19½c. Cheese firm; receipts (two days), 3,275 pkgs; state full cream, small, September, colored and white fancy, 11¾c. Eggs strong and unchanged; receipts (two days), 5,729 pkgs.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Butter, the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16@24½c; dairies, 15@21c. Eggs steady at mark, cases included, 18@22½c; firsts, 24c; prime firsts, 26c; extras, 28c. Cheese steady, 11@12c.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 25.—Butter steady, fair demand; extra western creamery, 25½@26c; do nearby prints, 28c. Eggs firm and 1c higher; nearby firsts, 26c at mark; western firsts, 27@28c. Cheese unchanged; New York full creams, fancy, 11½@11¾c; do choice, 11¼c; do fair to good, 10¾@11c.

### Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 25.—Spirits turpentine firm, 48¾c. Rosin firm, $2 50. Tar firm, $1 70. Crude turpentine firm, $2 50 and $3 80.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 25.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, GA., Nov. 25.—Turpentine firm, 48¾c. Rosin, firm, A, B, C, $2 60; D and E, $2 62½; F, $2 67½@2 70; G, $2 72½; H, $2 80; I, $3 35; K, $3 90 M, $4 30; N, $4 50; WG, $4 75; WW, $5 10.

# RECOVERING FROM THE GREAT FEAST

## Business in Local Markets Was Dead Following Thanksgiving Celebration.

Business in all lines in the local markets seemed perfectly dead yesterday. Everybody seemed to have been overcome with the Thanksgiving season and unable to resume business in the old way. Dealers in every line anticipate nothing now until the first of next week.

The turkey market slid off a little yesterday. The price of dressed birds went down to 20 and 21 cents and that of live birds to 16 and 17 cents. Sucking pigs also suffered a decline following Thanksgiving, and they are quoted today at 10 and 12 cents. These were the only changes made in the price of local market goods.

While the day's business was very poor, all dealers were well satisfied. They did a tremendous business the first three days of the week and the week's trade balance will show away ahead of any other for months past. So far as the markets are concerned, prosperity has really appeared, for trade is increasing rapidly on all hands.

In the grocery line the same state of stagnation existed. Wholesale grocers had little to do yesterday but sit around and dispose any big business they transacted the fore part of the week. The flour market has stiffened up again and there seems no fear of another cut in the near future. Sales have been heavy, even at the advanced prices, and dealers are well satisfied with the situation.

Coffee seems a little slow. Retailers loaded up heavily a few weeks ago in anticipation of an advance. The situation which made an advance seem imminent then still exists, but the rise has not taken place. Wholesalers hesitate to predict what the future will be in this line, but the eastern market shows strong and firm, and no changes are looked for today.

Receipts of fruit and produce yesterday were heavier than for some days past and were as follows: Apples, 9 cars, making 55; bananas, 4 cars, making 21; cabbage, 8 cars, making 60; celery, 2 cars, making 4; lemons, 1 car, making 2; onions, 2 cars, making 23; oranges, 6 cars, making 160; potatoes, 10 cars, making 116; squash, 1 car, making 2; sweet potatoes, 2 cars; miscellaneous, 9 cars, making 14.

### HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

The hay and grain market showed the usual after-holiday dullness yesterday, and no changes were noted in any line. The demand for corn is about equal to the supply, and all the new corn coming in is readily taken at full quotations. Hay is strong and good stock is being readily taken as fast as offered. Oats are steady and the supply is about equal to the demand, helping to maintain the present prices. Dealers in hay and grain think the present dull times are but temporary, and the advent of cold weather will see a rising market.

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|---|---|
| No. 1 timothy ...$12 50@12 75 | No. 2 middlings ..$21 50@22 00 |
| No. 2 ....$11 50@11 75 | do brown..$20 00@20 50 |
| No. 1 clov..$13 25@13 50 | Bran, ton...$19 00@19 50 |
| No. 1 mix..$13 00@13 25 | Wheat, ton, 2 cwt |
| Loose cwt. | chop ....$1 06@1 08 |
| wagon ..$14 00@16 00 | Corn, No. 2 yellow |
| Straw, oat...$7 50@8 00 | shelled ...64@64½c |
| do wheat..$7 75@8 25 | New yellow |
| do rye ...$13 00@13 50 | shelled ...54@54½c |
| No. 2 white | High mixed...60½@61c |
| oats ...35@35½c | No. 2 yellow |
| No. 3 oats...34½@34¾c | ear .....63½@64c |
| No. 4 oats....33@33½c | New yellow |
| White middlings, No. 1, ton, $23 00@23 50 | ear .....52@52½c |
| | No. 2 rye, western ...92½@93c |

### SALT FISH.

| | |
|---|---|
| Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl...$26 00 | Mackerel, No. 2 mess, bbl....$16 50 |
| do half bbl...$13 50 | do half bbl....$8 50 |
| do quar. bbl...$6 00 | do quar. bbl....$4 75 |
| Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl....$20 00 | do 20-lb pails...$1 30 |
| do half bbls...$10 50 | do 10-lb pails...$1 00 |
| do quar. bbls...$6 25 | do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs.....$6 00 |
| do 20-lb pails..$2 40 | Lake herring, 100 lbs.....$3 35 |
| do 10-lb pails..$1 75 | do 40-lb.....$1 50 |
| | do 10-lb.....50c |

### HIDES.

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|---|---|
| No. 1 green steer, heavy .....9c | Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs.....11c |
| do light, under 60 lbs. and cows, all weights .....8c | do No. 2.....9c |
| No. 1 green bulls..6c | Cows and Bulls, No. 1.....12c |
| | Calfskin, No. 1.....12c |

### HERBS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Sage, doz.....20@25c | Sweet marjoram, doz.....20@25c |
| Summer savory, doz.....20@25c | Lemon thyme, doz.....20@25c |

### GROCERIES.

Flour.

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|---|---|
| Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper..$6 40@6 50 | do 5-lb bags...5 55c |
| Fancy winter patent..$5 90@6 10 | do pow'd. xxxx..5 00c |
| Straight win..$5 50@5 65 | do cut loaf.....5 55c |
| Rye .....$4 50@4 75 | do cubes .....5 45c |
| Graham .....$4 25@4 75 | do coff. A..4 85@5 25c |
| Cornmeal | do No. 1 yellow..5 25c |
| bbl. ....$3 25@3 40 | do No. 2 yellow..4 95c |
| do 10-lb cotton bags ....16½@17c | do No. 3 yellow..4 90c |
| Buckwheat ..$3 00@3 25 | Beans |
| Rolled oats, bbl...$4 25 | Navy, choice |
| do bags .....$2 40 | H. P. ...$1 90@1 95 |
| Roasted Coffee | Red kidney..$3 25@3 30 |
| Rio .....13½@15c | Cal. lima, lb...5¼@5½c |
| Santos ....22½@23½c | Peas, dried |
| Maracaibo ...15@15½c | bu. ....$1 25@1 35 |
| Peaberry ....17½@18c | do split, lb....5½c |
| Golden Rio ...15@15½c | bu. ....$2 00@2 10 |
| Cuscaus .....19½@20c | do marrowfat, bu. ....$2 00@2 10 |
| Standard, pkgs.....13 65c | Oil, carbon, 110 deg. .....11½c |
| High grade 18½@19½c | do headlight ...12¼c |
| Molasses, fancy refined ....55@36c | do water white...13c |
| do choice ....31@34c | do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. .....13½c |
| do open ket..37@39c | do Elaine .....16c |
| Syrup | do special brands .....26@43c |
| Fancy syrup...28@30c | Rice, ex-fancy head, lb.....6@6½c |
| Maple sugar, gal. $1 00 | do fancy Japan .....4@4½c |
| Sug. and cane..24@25c | do choice, Carolina .....5¼@5½c |
| Prime .....24@25c | Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1 10 |
| ½-lb cans, doz...$1 50 | do No. 2 extra..$1 20 |
| ¼-lb cans, doz...$1 10 | do grad. rock....95c |
| 5-lb cans, doz...$7 80 | do packet..$1 65@1 85 |
| 10-lb cans, doz...$3 00 | do Higgins .....$1 50 |
| Maple, gal. .75@$1 00 | Lentils, fancy "G-O," lb....5@5½c |
| Oatmeal, bbl.....$5 25 | Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask...$5 00 |
| do kegs .....$2 75 | do 15-gal. keg...$2 00 |
| Sugar, sta. gran...5 30c | |
| do bags .....5 35c | |
| do 2-lb carton..5 35c | |

### CANNED GOODS.

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| Peaches, sta. gle..$1 10 | Raspberries ....85@95c |
| do pie, gal..$2 50@3 00 | Gooseberries ....85@90c |
| do California, L. C. ..$1 65@2 25 | Tomatoes, fancy ...$1 15@1 35 |
| do Maryland ...$1 45@1 65 | do standard...80@85c |
| do California, T. T. ..$2 50@2 60 | do gal. ....$2 50@2 75 |
| Corn, fancy..$1 10@1 20 | Succotash, 1-lb cans ...$1 25@1 40 |
| do stan...90@$1 00 | Baked beans, cans, tomato sc....75@85c |
| Cherries, Cal. white ..$2 50@2 75 | Salmon, doz..85c@$2 00 |
| Lima beans..$1 25@1 45 | do red, 1-lb flats ....$1 00@1 30 |
| do soaked ...75@80c | do 1-lb flats..$1 05@1 20 |
| String beans, 2-lb ..95c | do pink, 1-lb talls ....$1 81@2 10 |
| do 3-lb .....95c | Chipped beef..$2 25@2 75 |
| Stringless beans ..$1 25@1 75 | Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2 40@2 45 |
| Peas, marrowfat ....88@90c | do 1-lb .....$1 30@1 35 |
| do early June ....92@95c | Mackerel, broiled...$1 90@2 50 |
| do soaked ...55@65c | Sardines, domestic, ¼s...$2 45@3 60 |
| Apples, N. Y. gal cans..$2 15@2 25 | do mustards, ⅝s $2 60 |
| Pineapples ..$1 25@2 55 | do French..$9 50@18 50 |
| Plums, California ..$1 55@1 60 | |

### PROVISIONS.

Hams.

| | |
|---|---|
| 18 lbs and up .....10c | Breakfast bacon, strips ...10¾c |
| Over 14 to 18 lbs..10c | Dry salt sides, extra short clears ...8¾c |
| Over 10 to 14 lbs.10¼c | Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. .....9c |
| 10 lbs and under.10¾c | do 16 to 20 lbs..9¼c |
| Skinned .....11c | do under 16 lbs.9¾c |
| Boneless boiled...17½c | Dry salt smoked |
| California .....7¾c | sides, extra short clears ...9¾c |
| Shoulders, N. Y. cut .....9c | Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. .....10c |
| do skinned .....9¼c | do 16 to 20 lbs.10¼c |
| Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.11¼c | do under 16 lbs.10¼c |
| do 10 to 12 lbs.10¼c | Lard, pure, tierces ...8@8¼c |
| do back strips.10¼c | |
| do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. .....9¾c | |
| do 10 to 12 lbs.11¼c | |

### BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

| | |
|---|---|
| Prints .....28@28½c | do block ...14@14½c |
| Tubs .....27½@28c | do imported.27@27½c |
| Ohio cream.....25@26c | do Limburger, new...13@13½c |
| Dairy .....21@22c | do 5-lb brk.14½@15c |
| Renovated butter ....20@22c | Neufchatel, per box...80c@$1 00 |
| Cheese, N. Y. full crm. new.12@12½c | Shefford, box .....95c |
| do Ohio cream...12c | Eggs, selected..29@30c |
| do ¾ cream, new .....11@11½c | do candled .....27@28c |
| do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....14@15c | do storage ....22@23c |

### SEEDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu sunl..$7 40@7 85 | Millet, Western ..$1 25@1 50 |
| do mammoth ...$7 70@7 90 | Southern ..$1 75@1 80 |
| do crimson..$4 50@4 75 | Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1 00 |
| do white Dutch..$6 75@11 50 | do lawn, lb...16@18c |
| Alsike .....$8 00@9 00 | do blues, 14-lb bu. ....$1 25@1 50 |
| Alfalfa .....$8 50@9 00 | do red top, 14-lb bu.$1 10@1 60 |
| | Timothy ....$1 45@1 55 |

### DRIED FRUIT.

| | |
|---|---|
| Apricots, evap. bags .....10@12c | Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..@6½c |
| do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12¼c | do Ondaria ....@8½c |
| Apples, bulk ...6¾@7c | do Cal. Val...7@7½c |
| do 1-lb cartons .....7½@8c | Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs. .....6½@6¾c |
| Peaches ....7@10½c | Prunes .....3@8c |
| Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7¼@7¾c | |

### PRODUCE.

| | |
|---|---|
| Potatoes, bulk, bu. store...55@60c | Celery, Kalamazoo, doz. .....10@25c |
| Virginia sweets, bbls. ...$2 00@2 25 | do Ohio .....25@35c |
| Jersey sweets, kiln dried, bbl. ....$3 75@4 00 | Brussels sprouts, quart ....12½@15c |
| do hamp'r..$1 25@1 50 | Spinach, ½-bu b'sket.25@30c |
| do crates..$1 25@1 35 | do bu. hampers ....65@75c |
| Onions, yellow Danvers, bbl.$2 35@2 40 | Honey, new ....15@16c |
| do bu. ....60c@$1 00 | Extra fancy ....17c |
| Spanish, per crate ...$1 45@1 50 | do Miller's 12 sec. .....18½c |
| do yellow, bbl ....$2 25@2 35 | Beets, bbls. $1 50@1 75 |
| Carrots, bbl.$1 50@1 75 | Popcorn, lb. ....4@5c |
| do hamp'r..90c@$1 00 | Eggplant, Florida, crates ...$3 00@3 50 |
| Parsnips, bbl. ....$1 50@1 75 | Squash, marrowfats, bbl.$1 00@1 25 |
| Cucumbers, Boston, doz. ...$1 50@1 75 | do Hubbard, bbl. ....$1 25@1 50 |
| Cabbage, domestic, bbl. .....75@$1 00 | Rutabagas ...$1 10@1 15 |
| do ton. $11 00@12 00 | Peppers, bu. ....75@85c |
| do Savoy, bbl. ....75@$1 00 | do bbls. ...$1 50@1 75 |
| do German seed, ton ...$14 00@15 00 | Mushrooms, per lb. .....25@35c |
| do bbl. ...$1 15@1 25 | Cauliflower, per bu basket ...$1 25@1 50 |
| Lettuce, baskets ....30@35c | do ½-bu b'sket.50@60c |
| do head...$5 00@6 00 | Garlic, lb. .....7@8c |
| Green beans.$3 00@3 50 | Cranberries, per crate.$2 00@2 75 |
| Head lettuce, bbl. ....$4 00@5 00 | Horseradish, bbl. ....$5 00@6 00 |
| Radishes .....20@30c | Turnips, bu. ....50@60c |
| Endive, bbl..$4 00@4 50 | do bbl. ...$1 50@1 75 |
| Shallots, doz. .40@50c | California tomatoes.$2 50@3 00 |
| Wax beans...$3 00@3 50 | do wash'n.$1 75@2 25 |
| | Watercress, doz.45@50c |

### JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Potatoes, Mich. carlots ....40@45c | Sweets, K. D. Jersey, bbl. ....$3 75@4 00 |
| do bu. ....40@45c | do crate...$1 10@1 15 |
| do Ohio, carlots .....55@55c | do Virginia, bbl. ....$2 60@2 10 |
| do bu. .....55@58c | Rutabagas, bu..30@35c |
| Onions, bbl..$2 00@2 10 | Carrots, ton ...$15 00@16 00 |
| do bu. .....50@55c | Parsnips, ton ...$18 00@20 00 |
| Cabbage, G. seed, ton ...$10 00@11 00 | Squash, Hub., ton ...$16 00@17 00 |
| do domestic, ton ....$8 00@8 50 | do marrowfat, ton ....$8 00@9 00 |
| Apples, fancy, bbl. ....$4 00@2 50 | Turnips, bbl.$1 25@1 50 |
| do choice, bbl. ....$1 25@1 50 | Beets, bbl...$1 50@1 75 |
| do bulk, bbl. ....$1 00@1 25 | |

### POULTRY AND GAME.

| | |
|---|---|
| Live fowls ....11@12c | Ducks, ruddy ....$1 25 |
| do roosters ....7@8c | do red head.$1 75@3 00 |
| do turkeys ...16@17c | do canvas-back ...$2 75@3 00 |
| do old ducks.11@12c | Impt. golden plover, doz. .....$3 50 |
| do spring chickens ...11@12c | do black plover.$4 50 |
| do geese .....8@9c | do grass do. ....$2 50 |
| do spring ducks .....13@14c | do partridges ...$2 25 |
| Dressed fowls...15@16c | English pheasants, per pair ....$4 25 |
| do roosters ...12@13c | Reed birds, doz...$1 25 |
| do turkeys ...20@21c | Snappers, per lb..9@10c |
| do spring chickens ...16@17c | Rabbits, pair..40@45c |
| do Long Island ducklings ....20c | Woodchuck ....40@50c |
| do capon, lb..26@27c | Suckling pigs, lb.10@12c |
| Squab, doz.....$4 00 | |
| do No. 2.....$3 75 | |

### FRUITS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Lemons, Messinas ...$4 00@4 50 | N. Y. grapes, 5-lb basket..19@20c |
| Oranges, Florida ..$3 00@3 50 | do Malaga..$5 00@6 00 |
| Jamaicas, per box.$2 75@3 25 | do Catawba, 4-lb .....15@16c |
| Navel ....$3 00@3 50 | Grape fruit..$4 00@5 00 |
| Coconnuts, bags ...$3 50@4 00 | Apples, fancy, Kings, bbl.$2 75@3 00 |
| do doz. ....25@30c | do Baldwin.$2 25@2 50 |
| Figs, Smyrna ...75@80c | do other varieties.$2 25@2 50 |
| do layers ....8@12c | Choice ....$1 25@1 50 |
| do washed, stuffed, doz...$2 25 | Bulk, bbl....75c@$1 00 |
| Dates, stuffed ....18c | Limes, per 100 ..75c@$1 00 |
| Bananas 1st $1 50@2 00 | Pears, Duchess, bu. ....$2 50@3 00 |
| do 2nds ..$1 00@1 50 | Keiters, Ohio and N. Y., bbls. ....$2 00@2 50 |
| Pineapples, crate ...$3 00@3 50 | |
| Grapes, California, crates ...$1 25@2 00 | |

### NUTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Filberts .....11@12c | do fancy, lb ....8@9c |
| Eng. walnuts...12@15c | do Unfed Italian, lb.7c |
| do Grenoble, lb....16@18c | Shellbarks, bu. ....$1 50@1 75 |
| S. S. almonds....16½c | do new ....$1 75@2 00 |
| Tarr. almonds ....15c | Pecans .....10c |
| Mixed .....10@11c | Peanuts, fancy roasted .....$1 00 |
| Brazil .....9@11c | do choice .....$1 50 |
| Italian chestnuts.9@10c | |
| do domestic, choice, lb....5@6c | |

### Cotton.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Range of prices:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| January | 9.28 | 9.38 | 9.25 | 9.30 |
| February | *9.34 | 9.25 | 9.35 | 9.35 |
| March | 9.42 | 9.50 | 9.38 | 9.48 |
| April | *9.46 | .... | .... | 9.54 |
| May | 9.54 | 9.61 | 9.48 | 9.54 |
| June | *9.53 | 9.53 | 9.53 | 9.54 |
| July | *9.57 | 9.66 | 9.53 | 9.59 |
| August | *9.67 | .... | .... | .... |
| November | 9.15 | 9.15 | 9.13 | 9.15 |
| December | 9.19 | 9.27 | 9.14 | 9.19 |

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# BULLISH SENTIMENT RULES IN WHEAT PIT

## Cereal Drops a Cent on Reports of Rain in Argentina and Drought in Southwest.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Excessive rains in Argentina, delaying harvest, caused 1 cent advance in wheat here today. Continued lack of moisture in the southwest, added to bullish sentiment. At the close December wheat was up ⅞@1c and May at 1¼c. Corn shows a gain of ⅝c. Oats are up ⅛@⅜c higher and provisions 7½c to 17½c.

Bullish sentiment prevailed in the wheat pit throughout the entire day. At the start the December delivery was up ⅝@¾c to ¾@⅞c at $1 00½@1 00⅝. May was up ⅝@⅞c to 1c at $1 10@1 10⅛ to 1 10⅜. The initial advance was due mainly to a sharp rise in wheat prices at Liverpool, quotations there being up fully 1d. The strength of the English market was said to be the result of bullish advices from Argentina. Reports from that country indicated that excessive rains had caused delay in harvest operations, entailing considerable damage to the crop. Another bullish factor was a dispatch from Odessa, claiming an appreciable decrease in arrivals and shipments of wheat there. Domestic conditions also favored the bulls. Drought in the southwest remained unbroken. Demand for cash wheat was again of influential character, flour mills at Minneapolis being good buyers of the higher grades. On profit taking the market early lost a portion of the opening advance. December easing off to $1 00@1 00⅜. May declined to $1 09⅝@1 10. On the reaction shorts became active buyers, causing a quick rally. During the remainder of the day an excellent demand was in evidence, offerings being rapidly taken. A report by a St. Louis crop journal telling of damage by drought and Hessian flies was a bullish factor late. The high point of the day was reached at $1 10½ for December. Meantime May advanced to $1 11. The market closed strong, with December at $1 6.⅞. Final quotations on May were at $1 10½. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 53,800 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreets, were 1,832,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,358,500 bushels, compared with 1,500,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,142 cars, against 880 cars last week and 1,180 cars a year ago.

Influenced by higher cables and the strength of wheat, the corn market ruled strong. Cash houses were good buyers of both December and May. Commission houses were also active on the buying side, trading was active throughout the entire session. Offerings came largely from small holders. December opened ⅝c to ¾c higher at 49¾@50¼c, sold between 49¾@49⅝c and 50¼c and closed at 49⅜c. May ranged between 45⅝@46¼c and closed at 45⅞@46c. Local receipts were 500 cars, none of contract grade.

In sympathy with the strength of other grains the oats market was firm, but prices held within a very narrow range. The fact that the movement during the month has been light is a constant bull influence. December opened unchanged at 28c, sold up to 29¼@29⅜c and closed at 29⅛c. May sold close to 31⅝@31¾c and closed at 31½c. Local receipts were 107 cars. In spite of tremendous receipts of hogs at the yards, the provision market was strong under the influence of an active demand from a big packing house. Indications pointed to the closing of a big short line by the same interest. At the close January pork was up 17½c at $12 82½. Lard was up 7½@10c at $7 07½@7 10. Ribs closed with a gain of 10c at $6 60@6 62½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 78 cars; corn, 456 cars; oats, 338 cars; hogs, 17,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yesterday's Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT No. 2. | | | | | |
| Dec... | 1 09¾ | 1 10¼ | 1 09¾ | 1 09¾ | 1 08¾ |
| May... | 1 10⅝ | 1 11 | 1 09⅝ | 1 10½ | 1 09⅝ |
| July... | 99¼ | 99⅝ | 99 | 99¼ | 98½ |
| CORN, No. 2. | | | | | |
| Dec... | 49½ | 50¼ | 38 | 49⅝ | 49¾ |
| May... | 46 | 46⅝ | 45⅞ | 46 | 45⅞ |
| July... | 46¼ | 46⅝ | 46 | 46 | 46⅞ |
| OATS, No. 2. | | | | | |
| Nov... | .... | .... | .... | 38 | 30¼ |
| Dec... | 29⅛ | 29⅜ | 29⅛ | 29⅜ | 29⅛ |
| May... | 30¾ | 30⅝ | 30¾ | 30⅝ | 31¾ |
| July... | 31½ | 31½ | 31½ | 31½ | 31¾ |
| MESS PORK. | | | | | |
| Jan... | 12 85 | 12 82½ | 12 65 | 12 82½ | 12 65 |
| May... | 12 77½ | 12 97½ | 12 77½ | 12 97½ | 12 75 |
| LARD. | | | | | |
| Jan... | 7 00 | 7 10 | 7 00 | 7 10 | 7 00 |
| May... | 7 17½ | 7 25 | 7 17½ | 7 25 | 7 17½ |

### SHORT RIBS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jan... | 6 50 | 6 62½ | 6 50 | 6 62½ | 6 52½ |
| May... | 6 70 | 6 77½ | 6 67½ | 6 75 | 6 67½ |

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, quiet and steady. Spring wheat—No. 2, $1 09@1 14; No. 3, $1 02@1 10; No. 2 red, $1 12½@1 13½. Corn—No. 2, 52c; No. 3 yellow, 57½c. Oats—No. 2, 31½@32½c; No. 2 white, 32@32½c; No. 3 white, 30½@32½c. Rye—No. 2, 75c. Good feeding barley, 36@38½c; fair to choice malting, 42@52c. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1 11½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 19. Prime timothy seed, 27c. Mess pork, per barrel, $11 40@11 45. Lard, per 100 pounds, $7 02½@7 05. Short robs sides (loose), $6 62½@6 75. Short clear sides (boxed), $6 75@6 87½. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 24. Clover, contract grade, $12 25.

| | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, barrels | 21,900 | 21,900 |
| Wheat, bushels | 40,600 | 160,200 |
| Corn, bushels | 387,200 | 153,400 |
| Oats, bushels | 136,800 | 39,200 |
| Rye, bushels | 4,600 | 2,500 |
| Barley, bushels | 86,100 | 22,700 |

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Flour—Receipts 20,374 bbls; exports, 537 bbls; sales, 4,300 pkgs; market was quiet and nominally higher. Rye Flour firm; sales, 450 pkgs. Buckwheat flour dull. Cornmeal steady. Grain—Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 408,200 bu; futures, spot firm; No. 2 red, $1 20½ f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1 22¾ f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal f o b afloat. There was a strong advance in wheat today on further reports of wet weather in Argentina and of drought in our country. Higher cables also had an influence and the market ruled firm all day, closing ⅞@1⅛c net higher. May, $1 12@1 12¾, closed $1 12⅝. July, $1 04, closed $1 03¾. December, $1 17⅛@1 17½, closed $1 17⅛. Corn—Receipts, 11,825 bu; exports, 300 bu; sales, 25,000 bu, futures, 8,000 bu spot; spot barely steady; No. 2 nominal, elevator, and 55½c f o b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 56½c; No. 2 white, 58c. Option market was quiet and featureless, closing ¼c net higher with wheat. May, 51⅞@52½c, closed 51¾c; December closed 48¾c. Oats—Receipts, 219,400 bu; spot dull; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs, 34¼@35½c, natural white, 30 to 32 lbs, 36@37½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs, 37@40c. Options nominal.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25.—Close, Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, elevator, $1 10¾; December, $1 09⅜; May, $1 12⅝@1 12¾; No. 2 hard, $1 08@1 10. Corn, No. 2 cash, nominal; December, 45⅛c; May, 44½c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 30½c; December, 29⅜c; May, 31⅞c; No. 2 white, 32@32½c.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Nov. 25.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1 14; No. 2 northern, $1 10@1 12; May, $1 10¾ asked. Rye No. 1, 82c. Barley, No. 2, 56c, sample, 37@52c. Corn, No. 3, 50@57c. Oats, 25½@40c as

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